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ONE KILLED IN PISTOL BATTLE, SEQUEL TO THE CHARLESTON ELECTION

Sidney J. Cohen, Newspaper Man, Hit by Stray Bullet; Four Others Shot.

MILITIA AIDS POLICE

Meeting of Democratic Committee to Canvass Tuesday's Returns Broken Up.

Ballot Boxes, Thrown Out of Window, Are Recovered.

Charleston, S. C., Oct. 15.—A pistol battle in which one man was killed and four others shot, broke up a meeting of the Democratic city executive committee here today in which the votes at last Tuesday's primary were to be canvassed. A National Guard company, which, with fixed bayonets, helped the police to restore order today, still was patrolling nearby streets.

The man killed was Sidney J. Cohen, a reporter for the Charleston Evening Post. He was shot through the lung. W. A. Turner, an insurance agent, and W. E. Wingate, superintendent of the city chain gang, were seriously wounded. H. L. Wilensky, a city meter inspector, and Jeremiah O'Brien, inspector of weights and measures, and a member of the executive committee, received minor bullet wounds. Six arrests were made.

Culmination of Bitter Campaign.

Today's trouble was the culmination of a bitter political capaign, which ended last Tuesday in a primary held while several companies of National Guard were kept in readiness to suppress possible disorders.

One of the six men arrested, Max Goldman, a marine engineer, tonight was in a hospital suffering from a severe blow on the head. Others arrested are:

S. J. Brown, ice wagon driver and former policeman; Edward McDonald, stevedore and former policeman; J. J. Healy, former police sergeant; Fred Stender, deputy sheriff, and J. J. Steeken, keeper of a cemetery. No charges were preferred against any of them.

Governor Manning, at Columbia, immediately upon being informed of the shooting, ordered the Washington Light Infantry to the scene. This company with fixed bayonets quickly cleared the streets in the vicinity of the building. Later the militiamen aided civil authorities in patrolling the streets and remained on duty late tonight.

Second Regiment Held.

The entire second regiment located here was held at its armory. Governor Manning also ordered local dispensaries closed.

There were only small groups of men on the streets tonight and no outward evidence of more disorder.

The militia is under command of Col. E. M. Blythe, of Greenville, in the absence of Adjutant General Moore, who is attending the rifle matches at Jacksonville.

Charleston had been prepared for trouble since last Monday night when Governor Manning ordered four companies of state guardsmen and three divisions of naval militia held in their armories.

Tuesday, primary day, passed quietly, however, and at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning the guardsmen withdrew. Followers of Mayor John P. Grace, an aspirant for re-nomination, charged that Governor Manning was unnecessarily trying to interfere with the primary.

Had Met to Canvass Returns.

Unofficial returns showed that Hyde had been nominated by a majority of 10 votes out of more than 6,000 cast, More than 100 votes were contested by the Grace adherents and the city executive committee met today to canvass the returns.

Bitterness engendered by the campaign, the presence of the militia on primary day, and the closeness of the vote created such a threatening atmosphere that many extra policemen were detailed in and in front of the building where the meeting was to be held today. The building was crowded and a large crowd in front was held in check by the officers.

Just as the meeting was to be called to order a fight started in a hallway adjoining the committee room. During the scuffling, shouting and jamming in the hallway some one in the committee room fixed a shot and the real fight was on.

Several pistols were brought into play and as the firing continued amid the scramble to escape, yelling and cries of the wounded, some one threw three ballot boxes out of the window.

Cohen Accidentally Shot.

Cohen was shot as he was making for a window to escape, when a pistol for which two en were fighting was discharged. He was fatally wounded. Whether any of the wounded were

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GERMANS ATTEMPT TO SAIL FOR HOME

Efforts of Several Interned Sailors are Frustrated.

ONE IS UNDER ARREST

Try to Secure Passage on Dutch Steamers for Rotterdam—Shore Liberty From Cruisers to be Denied in Future.

Newport News, Va., Oct. 15.—Several sailors from the German auxiliary cruisers Kronprinz Wilhelm and Prinz Eitel Freidrich, interned at the Norfolk navy yard, attempted to secure passage today on the Dutch freight steamers Mennikendam and Maartensdijk about to sail from this port for Rotterdam. One of the men was arrested aboard the Maartensdijk at the request of her captain and is being held by the police for the commandant of the navy yard. The others are supposed to have returned to their ships.

The Dutch captains reported the incident to Collector or Customs Hamilton, who issued a statement saying rigid precautions would be taken in the future to prevent the interned Germans from escaping.

On account of the disappearance of six members of the crew of the Wilhelm, who recently broke a leave of absence granted them for a cruise in a power yacht they had bought, has resulted in an order from the navy yard against the granting of any further shore liberty to the German sailors. Since the cruisers have been interned their commanding officers have been allowed to give leaves to their men at will.

Collector Hamilton is co-operating in every way with Admiral Beatty, commanding the Norfolk navy yard, in taking steps looking to the prevention of the departure from this port on neutral ships foreign bound of any of the missing men. Nothing had been heard up to this afternoon from the six officers who left Sunday on a small yacht. It is feared they may attack allied merchant ships.

Leave of Absence Denied.

Washington ,Oct. 15.—All leave of absence for the men of the German auxiliary cruisers Kronprinz Wilhelm and Prinz Eitel Friedrich, interned at the Norfolk navy yard, has been revoked by the Navy Department until the disappearance of six warrant officers on the Kronprinz Wilhelm has been sufficiently explained. The department took this action when it was reported by Rear Admiral Beatty, commandant of the Norfolk yard, that the men who had bought the yacht Eclipse, had been granted leave for a sail, but had not returned.

The captains of the two cruisers gave pledges for their crews when the ships were sent to the yard and have been permitted to grant their men such shore leave as they thought desirable.

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MERCHANT MARINE TO AID THE NAVY URGED

McAdoo Speaks for Navy Equal to Any Nation's.

Plan of the Administration is to Appropriate Forty or Fifty Million Dollars for Merchant Marine as Naval Auxiliary.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 15.—A plea for a navy which would make the United States able to face any other world power, and a $40,000,000 merchant marine to be used as a naval auxiliary in case of war, was made by William G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury, in an address before the Kansas City Commercial Club today.

The plan of the administration, Mr. McAdoo said, is to appropriate forty, or possibly fifty, million dollars to be put into a merchant marine to be used in extending the commerce of the nation in times of peace but so constructed, equipped and manned as to become immediately the necessary naval auxiliary.

"There is one advantage our neglect of ocean commerce in the past now gives us," Mr. McAdoo said, "that is that we can now start fresh and outdo anything ever done by any nation in the same line. The commerce of South America and the Orient is ours for the taking and we must take them or we are likely to experience a period of depression following the close of the war in Europe.

"I believe an adequate merchant marine, headed by a commission composed of the Secretary of Commerce and the Secretary of the Navy and three experienced business men, could make the United States the dominant financial and industrial power of the world. Also it would disprove that time-worn theory that merchant ships cannot be operated profitably under American registry."

PROBING CONDUCT OF ONE MAX LYNAR

Activity in Behalf of Germany and Austria Alleged.

MADE PLANS OF FORTS

Man Named Lynar, Also Known as Loudon, Indicted for Bigamy, May Prove to be Person Wanted By Government Agents.

New York, Oct. 15.—With the indictment today of Max Lynar, also known as Count Max Lynar Loudon, on a charge of bigamy, United States secret service agents began an investigation of the recent alleged activities of a man who, under the name of Lynar, is said to have done confidential work in this country last June and July, on behalf of the German and Austrian governments.

Their investigation embraced a report that detailed plans of certain fortifications around New York harbor had been sent to Berlin by two secret messengers aboard the steamship which sailed from here for Rotterdam during July. This steamship was searched at Falmouth, England, it was reported, for the messengers, whose presence aboard had been cabled to the British admiralty, but they were not found.

Took Plans to Berlin.

At Rotterdam the messengers were reported to have eluded the British consul and proceeded to the German capital with the plans of the forts.

The name of one of the alleged messengers, the steamer upon which they are said to have made the trip, the date of its departure from New York and arrival at Rotterdam were in the possession of the secret service. The investigation was conducted with a view to determine just what plans, if any, were carried to Berlin and through what agencies they were obtained.

Max Lynar Loudon made application for an American passport, it was said, after the departure of the vessel from New York. The man known as Lynar remained in New York after the alleged messengers sailed. It is not known whether Max Lynar Loudon and the man known as Lynar were relatives nor is there anything to connect them further than the similarity in their names.

The secret service agents have talked with Norbet Fuller, at one time Loudon's chaffeur. Fuller was dressed so much like a member of the National guard he was arrested last Friday. It is said that Fuller set at rest a report that a chauffeur dressed as a United States soldier had obtained admission to forts about New York harbor and had made secret plans of them.

When Fuller was arrested his employer wrote a letter of protest to the district attorney. This letter, found today in the district attorney's file, was signed Rocher M. Zu Lynar. The signature suggested the name of Count Rochus Zu Lynar, a resident of Berlin, and well known in diplomatic circles. Count Rochus Zu Lynar is said to be about 60 years of age. The prisoner is 45.

Married Under Another Name.

A copy of the application for the marriage license issued to the prisoner, which was used when he married his present wife, shows, the secret service men assert, that the prisoner was married under the name of Albert Marcel Count de Passy, a native of Stau-

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CONFER NEXT WEEK ON FORM OF RECOGNITION

Lansing to Call Another Meeting of Diplomats.

Recognition Likely to be Accorded Carranza Government During Week. Policy of United States Accepted by Other Nations.

Washington, Oct. 15.—Secretary Lansing will call a conference next week of the Pan-American diplomats to arrange the form in which recognition is to be extended to the de facto Mexican government led by General Carranza. Although formal responses have not been received by the Brazilian and Chilean ambassadors here to the reports sent to their governments last week, informal assurances were given before the conference to United States diplomatic representatives in Santiago and Rio de Janeiro that Chile and Brazil were in accord with the Washington government's policy.

The Argentine minister and the ministers of Uruguay, Bolivia and Guatemala have received instructions to adopt the same form in recognition as the United States does. Although not a member of the conference, the Venezuelan minister, together with other diplomatic representatives, has been instructed to take identical action with the United States.

The formal act of recognition probably will occur next week with the reception of Elisio Arredondo, authorized representative of General Carranza.

Reports today of activity by Carranza adherents in fomenting a revolution in Guatemala met with prompt denial at the Carranza agency.

ALLIES MUST HAVE BRITISH APPROVAL FOR WAR SUPPLIES

Not a Dollar Spent in America Without Official Sanction of That Government.

DOMINATES COMMITTEE

Which Has Representatives of All Allied Nations; Prevents Competition.

New York, Oct. 15.—Of the millions of dollars spent daily in this country by the Allies for war supplies, not a dollar, it was learned authoritatively today, can be spent without first obtaining the official sanction of the British government. This sanction is obtained from a committee sitting in London and holding frequent sessions. Although the committee has been in operation for many months, its existence has not heretofore been generally known outside of governmental circles, only once, so far as can be learned—and then in the case of Russia—has the mandate of this body been disregarded.

The personnel of this committee consists of representatives of each of the Allied nations and controls absolutely the purchase of all war supplies in whatever section of the world they may be bought, acts as a financial checks and supervisor over all the war chests of all the Allies, and seeks to eliminate positively competitive bidding on the part of the Allies for war supplies in the few open markets of the world, first of all in the United States.

Keeps Down Competition.

The committee is designated by a French title, the English translation of which is "The International War Supplies Committee." Under its guidance Great Britain, France, Russia and Italy in seeking munitions of war in the United States and other supplies, refrain from competition in bidding.

Instead of coming in the American market when supplies are needed and waging a financial contest for supremacy in obtaining the supplies, the Allies have adopted a system of placing one big order at a time in this country. When the contract for this is signed the next allied nations' needs are taken up and another contract is placed.

Great Britain as banker for the Allies dominates this committee. British purchases, where convenient, are made in this country without consulting the committee. One of the chief functions of the British members of the committee is to act as a mouthpiece of the British treasury in alloting to the other allied nations the amounts advanced by Great Britain to them for the purchase of war supplies in this country. Each country is financed to a certain extent—in the case of Russia, almost wholly—by Great Britain. The only time the committee's plan failed of operation was about six months ago and the effects of the failure have not yet been eradicated.

Disregarded Once by Russia.

Russia had been notified b ythe British members of the committee that she might spend a certain sum of money for war supplies in this country. The sum is believed to have been between $200,000,000 and $300,000,000. Whether the allotment was fully understood by the Russian government is not known; but what Russia did was to spend the sum alloted and in addition, make huge commitments in this country for further supplies. These commitments were said to run into the hundreds of millions of dollars.

When the contracts came due in part, Russia had insufficient funds to meet them and the committee, not having authorized the making of the contracts, had to devise quickly some method of paying the bills. This was extremely difficult and the demoralization of the foreign exchange in this country recently was attributed in no small measure to this cause. Since that time Russia has adhered strictly to the wishes of the committee.

Morgan & Co., Agents.

A single financial house—J. P. Morgan & Co.—acts as the disbursing agency of the British government in this country. Its disbursements are understood to cover payments of all goods purchased for the Allies here.

The $500,000,000 Anglo-French credit loan, just negotiated, it is said, will provide payment for a large quantity of good purchased here for Russia. Some experts estimate that as much as half the loan, or $250,000,000 may be used in paying for supplies for Russia, chiefly for those for which she contracted without the knowledge of the international committee.

PHILLIES ARE BLAMED

President Lannin of Red Sox Charges Them With Failure of Western Tour.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 15.—Failure of the proposed transcontinental tour of the world's champion Boston Americans and the Philadelphia Nationals was laid at the doors of the Philadelphia club management by President J. J. Lannin of the Red Sox in a telegram to Robert McRoy, secretary of the National Commission tonight. Mr. McRoy had wired that the Philadelphia players were not willing to make the trip.

Lannin's telegram said that the Philadelphia management positively stated Wednesday night that the ployers must attend a banquet Saturday night which they consiuered more important than the trip, scheduled to open at Chicago Thursday. Lannin said this led the Boston club to believe there would be no trip and the players left for their homes.

TWO FERDINANDS AND THE GREEK

KING FERDINAND OF RUMANIA

KING FERDINAND OF BULGARIA.

The two Ferdinands, czar of Bulgaria and king of Rumania, are literally facing each other in another crisis which may mean the extinction of the kingdom of one or the other. Constantine of Greec is in a similar position. He is shown here to be the kind of a strong man who could overrule premier and parliament as he has just done. He and his queen, a sister of the kaiser of Germany, lean strongly to Germany. Premier Venizelos, just forced out of office, and the parliament are for the allies.

GARRISON'S PLAN IS FOR MILITARY FORCE IN TIME OF NEED OF 665,000 MEN

Provides for Creation of Continental Army of 400,000 and for Increasing the Regular Army to 140,000—Would Increase Appropriation $75,000,000—President Approves Plan and Also Navy Proposal.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 15.—The administration programme for national defense to be recommended to the forthcoming session of Congress, proposing a total expenditure on the army and navy next year of about $400,000,000, was practically completed tonight. Secretary Garrison's plan approved by the President calls for an increase of $75,000,000 in the War Department's annual appropriation to be used for augmenting the regular army to 140,000 men and the creation of a new continental army of 400,000 men, which, together with the militia of 125,000, would give the United States a military force in time of need of 665,000.

Navy Proposal Approved.

Approval also was given today to the proposal of Secretary Daniels and the General Board of the navy for a five year naval construction programme to cost $500,000,000 giving the navy ten new deadnaughts and six battle cruisers as well as more than 70 new submarines, 50 destroyers, ten scout cruisers and a host of auxiliary ships.

Secretary Daniels and members of the General Board were in conference until late tonight discussing the actual number of ships to be recommended for the first year and a scheme for equalizing the expenditures over the five year period.

After the conference of Secretary Daniels, Assistant Secretary Roosevelt and the General Board adjourned at midnight, it became known that the following naval construction programme for the first five years had been decided upon:

Two dreadnaughts, two battle cruisers, twenty-five coast submarines, 25 sea-going submarines, 12 destroyers, an increase of 8,000 in personnel and an augmentation by 250 of the Naval Academy student body.

Secretary Garrison has carefully guarded his plan for strengthening the military establishment and oganizing a geat continental army for defense, and practically nothing was known of it until tonight.

The programme proposes:

Proposals of Army Programme.

First—Regular army 140,000 men, an increase of more than 50,000 men in the present establishment.

Second—A continental army, 400,000 strong, enlisted for six years for service within the continental United States. These men would serve two months a year for the first three years with the colors, undergoing a period of intensive training. The remaining three years they would be on furlough, subject to call in time of need.

It is estimated that 40,000 of the 540,000 men thus provided for would be non-combatants of the medical corps, or other auxiliary forces not including in the fighting line.

Behind this army would be the national guard, now some 125,000 strong, but whose number might be substantially augmented by the organization of the continental army. The plans contemplate the transfer of such national guard officers and men as desire it into the continental army and more liberal treatment of the guardsmen will be urged and the increase of these state forces encouraged in every possible way.

Increases in the regular establishment contemplated are:

Regular Army Increases.

Infantry—10 regiments.
Field artillery—Four regiments.
Coast artillery—52 companies.
Engineer corps—15 companies.
Aviation corps—Two detachments.

All of these commands would be organized at peace strength.

The plan is erected on the theory that the nation must depend upon a citizen army, largely of a volunteer character, in time of war. There are many hundreds of thousands of young men, it is said, who have both the time and the inclination to devote at least two months a year to training, and the continental army would be composed of these, leaving to the national guard those citizens whose responsibilities prevent their devoting more than one night a week or so to military service. With six months actual field training, army officers are confident that the continental army will be as thoroughly organized as is possible with any system short of compulsory service and a regular establishment of half a million men.

Officers From Civil Life.

Officers for the new army would be obtained from civil life almost entirely, as the West Point Military Academy would be overtaxed even to supply officers for the increased regular army.

For the continental army, the plan contemplates drawing from the national guard and from educational institutions where military training is com-

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TEUTONS PRESSING INTO SERBIA WITH LOSS OF MANY MEN

French General Serrail Takes Charge of the Allied Forces at Saloniki.

RUSSIA ON OFFENSIVE

Line of Germans in Dvinsk Penetrated; British Sink German Torpedo Craft.

London, Oct. 15.—From all the main battle fronts come news of continued fighting, but from none of them has been received any indications of victories or reverses which would make a marked change in the general situation. The Austro-Germans and Bulgarians are proceeding methodically with their invasion of Serbia which, according to neutral reports, is costing them a very heavy price in the lives of their soldiers, as the hardened veterans of Serbia are taking every advantage of the difficult country to inflict the greatest possible loss on the invaders.

Germans Claim Progress.

The Germans, however, have been able to occupy Pozarevac southeast of Semendria, and claim that their campaign is proceeding according to their plans. The quadruple Entente Allies are perfecting their preparations to assist the Serbians and every day additional troops are landed at Saloniki where the French General Sarrail has arrived to take command of the Allied forces. What steps Russia and Italy have taken to assist have not yet developed.

The political situation remains unchanged, Greece having formally announced that she would not intervene in behalf of Serbia "at present" and Rumania, although she is being urged by Germany definitely to define her position, not having made any move.

Along the western front there has been heavy fighting in the Artois, Champagne and Vosges regions. Attacks were made by both sides, but the gains and losses are described as being of little importance.

In the east the Russians have turned to the offensive in the region of Dvinsk, and although the Germans claim that they have repulsed most of the Muscovite attacks they admit that the Russians penetrated their line at one point. Except for the hostilities in this region, things are somewhat calmer in the east, Lieut. General Ivanoff, the Russian commander, after his victory in Galicia and the subsequent check by the Germans, having for the moment shown himself satisfied with what he achieved.

The Italians again have been on the offensive and claim to have gained some successes against the Austrians. The Austrians, however, deny this statement.

British Submarines Active.

Outside the Balkan campaign England is watching with the most interest the operations of her submarines in the Baltic. Here, after having drizen the German merchantmen from the sea, they have sunk two and probably more German torpedo craft—one reported to be a torpedo boat destroyed and the other a torpedo boat—which with other warships had come out to convoy ore-laden steamers. Activity of the navy also is shown in the North sea. The record shows that 34 German trawlers have been caputred and taken into Grimsby during the past month.

BRITISH LOSSES HEAVY.

Casualties at Dardanelles Up to October 9, Were 96,899.

London, Oct. 15.—The total of British casualties at the Dardanelles up to October 9th, according to official figures given here today, was 96,899. Of this total the number of men killed was 18,957, of whom 185 were officers. Casualties of the Australasian contingent were 29,121.

Announcement of the great losses of the British forces at the Dardanelles follows the sensational speech in the House of Lords last night of Lord Milner, who is said to have characterized the expedition as hopeless and it was suggested the transfer of troops to some other front.

The figures given out today do not tell the full story of what it has cost the Allies to attempt to force the Dardanelles. In addition to the British casualties are the losses of the French, concerning which no reliable information is available.

The British total, however, bears out dispatches from correspondents on this front, who have described the loss of life as frightful.

MR. BENJAMIN MILLIKAN DEAD

Former Sheriff of Randolph County Dies in Greensboro.

(Special Star Telegraph).

Greensboro, N. C., Oct. 15.—Benjamin Millikan, formerly sheriff of Randolph county, died this morning at the home here of his son, J. M. Millikan, clerk of the Federal Court for the Westernd istrict of North Carolir He was 84 years of age and a native of Randolph county. He had lived in this country for several years and was a member of the Friends church.

The funeral will be held tomorrow at Marborough church, Randolph county.

New York, Oct. 17.—Thousands of girls and women employed in many of the leading local department stores will be given a half holiday to march in the banner suffrage parade on October 23 it was announced here to-

VIRGINIA IS TO MEET HARVARD SQUAD TODAY

Carolina Eleven Will Clash With Georgetown

Virginia-Harvard, Pennsylvania-Navy, and the Colgate-Army Games Promise to be of Unusual Importance—The Schedule.

New York, Oct. 15.—Three games of more than ordinary importance feature the eastern football card tomorrow. In the meeting of Virginia and Harvard, Pennsylvania and Navy and Colgate and the Army there are usual possibilities for upsets and surprises. Should all six teams play strictly to season form the result in each contest is likely to remain in doubt until the closing period of the game.

Virginia goes to Cambridge with the prestige of a victory over Yale. The Southerners in their two games to date have rolled up a total score of 84 points to their opponents' zero. Against Yale the Charlottesville team scored ten points and added 74 in the meeting with Richmond last Saturday. In Harvard Virginia will find a further advanced and better coached combination than Yale lined up on October 2, but it is doubtful if the Cambridge team can muster the same power of attack and defense that the Elis showed in crude fashion two weeks ago. Injuries to several of Harvard's strongest players and shifts from the regular order of formation may weaken the crimson to some extent.

At Annapolis the Middies will be called upon to meet, in Pennsylvania, an eleven with three victories and one defeat to its credit, while the Navy has yet to win its initial honor brackets. Georgetown and Pittsburgh have both triumphed over the Sailors this season and Pennsylvania has not escaped since Penn State defeated the big Quakers after the latter had accumulated three victories at the expense of Albright, West Virginia and Franklin and Marshall.

The Naval Academy has an excellent squad to work with, so far as material is concerned, but has been unfortunate in being obliged to play powerful teams before passing the preliminary stages of practice and training.

The Army also made a poor start this season, being tied by Holy Cross in the opening game but defeated Gettysburg 22 to 0. Colgate, on the other hand, has outclassed her two early season opponents defeating both Susquehanna and Rochester by scores of 44 to 0.

Yale and Princeton will play Springfield and LaFayette respectively and both should come through to victory without more than the early season opposition.

The leading contests of the day in the east follow: Virginia at Harvard, Pennsylvania at Navy, LaFayette at Princeton, Colgate at Army, Bucknell at Cornell, Sprinfield at Yale, Vermont at Dartmouth, North Carolina at Georgetown, Amherst at Trinity, Carlisle at Pittsburgh, Williams at Brown, Gettysburg at Penn State, Swarthmore at Ursinus, Bowdoin at Wesleyan, Albright at Lehigh.

CAROLINA VERY OPTIMISTIC

Believes She Has Fine Chance to Beat Georgetown Today.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Chapel Hill, N. C., Oct. 15.—With the week's work showing great improvement in every part of the team, the Carolina coaches are very enthusiastic over the game with Georgetown tomorrow. The two teams are about equally matched in weight, but it is thought here that the Carolina line is the faster. It is certain that Carolina has a punter in Long who can rival their star, Dempsey. Carolina supporters are well aware that Princeton only defeated Georgetown 10-0 on October 2, but there are several reasons why this should be no discouragement. At the end of the game Princeton, who had only been on the field a week and had had a new system of coaching that week, had the ball on Georgetown's one yard line. Most of the ground covered by Georgetown, too, was made by the backs on account of the Princeton ends playing in too close.

Another event held up by Georgetown supporters is the defeat of the Navy 9-0 on October 2. This does not seem to worry the Carolina followers, however. They argue that the Navy team is very weak this year, and circumstances certainly justify this belief.

GAMES IN THE SOUTH

Much Interest in Opportunity to Compare Strength of Aspirants for Title.

Atlanta, Oct. 15.—Football games to be played in the South tomorrow will be watched with unusual interest by followers of the various elevens, furnishing a good opportunity for comparing the various championship aspirants. In several of the contests scheduled at least one contestant has met one or more possible champions.

The Auburn-Clemson contest at Anderson, S. C., is viewed with interest as furnishing a basis for comparison of the strength of a number of teams. Auburn last Saturday defeated Florida by a lone touchdown. Clemson defeated Tennessee and was tied by Davidson. Davidson in turn lost to Georgia Tech.

The North Carolina-Georgetown game at Washington is expected to furnish a line on the strength of the Down Homers, through Georgetown's feat, two weeks ago, of defeating the Navy 9 to 0.

Florida and Sewanee clash at Jacksonville, but little is known of the strength of Sewanee, the Tigers having had an easy time in their preliminary contests.

Georgia Tech will meet the strong Transylvania team on Grant field here. Transylvania is said to have the strongest team in the history of the Kentucky school, and a tough contest is expected.

Alabama and Mississippi college will meet at Tuscaloosa, Ala., and Vanderbilt, which played Cumberland college on Tuesday, will meet Henderson Brown at Nashville.

Other games scheduled are: Georgia vs Citadel at Charleston; Kentucky State vs Mississipupi Aggies at Jackson, Miss.; Washington and Lee vs V. P. I., at Roanoke, Va.; Davidson vs Wofford at Davidson, N. C.; Hampden Sydney vs William and Mary at Hampden Sydney; Johns Hopkins vs Western Maryland at Baltimore; Maryland Aggies vs Callaudet at College Park, Md.; Randolph Macon vs Richmond Blues at Richmond; Maryland vs St. Johns at Annapolis; Tennessee vs Central at Knoxville; Virginia Military Institute vs Richmond at Lexington, Va.

LEAVE FOR CAMBRIDGE

Virginia Squad Expects to Meet With Success Against Harvard.

Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 15.—The University of Virginia football team left here at noon today for Cambridge to meet Harvard tomorrow. Despite the loss of Stuart, who put up a star game against Yale, Virginia expects to make a good showing against the Crimsons.

Captain Coleman said today that he did not think Haughton's squad would make more than one touchdown, and his belief was that they would have to work hard to do that. The coaches and Trainer Lannigan express satisfaction at the condition of the men. One or two of the backfield players have minor injuries, but should last for the greater part of the contest.

Buy your kid gloves from us and have them ntted. C. H. Fore & Co.'s. (Advertisement.)

The forwards are in splendid shape and should put up an even better defensive game than in the Yale contest a fortnight ago.

IN CENTRAL STATES.

Games, Classified as Crucial, Have Places on Today's Schedule.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—Games, which for so early in the season might be classified as crucial, have places on tomorrow's schedule of football games in the central states. On the outcome of four of them depends in a measure various claims to leading honors among the "Big Nine."

Among the contests carded are: Wisconsin vs. Purdue, at LaFayette; Illinois vs. Ohio State, at Columbus; Indiana vs. Chicago, at Chicago; South Dakota vs. Minnesota, at Minneapolis; Case vs. Michigan, at Ann Arbor; Carroll vs. Michigan Aggies, at East Lansing.

CLUB RALLY GIVEN BY Y. M. C. A. BOYS' DIVISION

Bible Certificates For Work Done Last Year Presented.

The Bible Study work of the Boys' Division of the Wilmington Y. M. C. C. opened last night with a big "club rally" which was atended by 80 boys. This was one of the largest gatherings of boys ever held by the asosciation. Prospects are bright for the best Bible study and club work ever attempted by the boys of Wilmington.

The supper and rally last night was an enthusiastic and happy occasion all the way through. Underlying all the fun, however, was a serious realization of the importance and real purpose of the gathering.

The things of special interest on the programme were the awarding by Mr. D. H. Howes, Jr., chairman of the boys' work committee, of 24 Bible study certificates won by the boys who took the Bible Study examinations last spring and the presentation of a handsome picture to the winning club in last year's contest and an address on Bible Study by Mr. Odis B. Hinnant, city boys' work secretary.

Certificates in Bible study were presented to the following boys: Ernest McKeithan, Frank Montgomery, Howard Hanby, Charles Hazelhurst, Clewell Howell, Earl Sneeden, Alex Walker, Archie Keels, Frank McGlaughon, Winfield Morris, Daniel Penton, William Farrar, Alfred B. Hall, James Monroe, Stuart Warren, Lenox Cooper, William Ek, Carl Mahler, William Mahler, Howard Penton, Frank Russell, Douglas Sprunt, Harry Rucker, and George Waddill. Carl Mahler made a grade of 100 per cent and deserves special mention as being the first in the Southeast associations to make such a high mark.

The club organizations in all the classes except the Business Boys have been perfected. The business boys will organize their clubs Monday night. There are four clubs among the Juniors as follows: Princeton, Lenox Cooper, captain; Dartmouth, Cofield King, captain; Cornell, Winfield Morris, captain; Columbia, aDn Penton, captain. The intermediates have two clubs, Carl Mahler being captain of the Lee club and William Ek being captain of the Jackson club.

The high school club wil be organized next week. It will have its opening rally next Friday evening.

Mr. O. Walton Johnson, boys' work secretary, presided over the meeting last evening and made announcements regarding the work for the forthcoming year. Mr. Hinnant made a strong address and made an urgent appeal to the boys to give the Bible a real place in their lives.

To Continue Sermon Series.

Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells will continue his series of sermons on the "Literary Beauties of the Bible" at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow evening. His subject will be "The Orators and Oratory of the Bible."

STATE OFFERS REWARD FOR SLAYER OF SMITH

Raleigh Officers Capture Auto Load of Booze

Thirty-Five Gallons in Pint Bottles in Big Car Seized—Two Occupants Arrested—Printer Robs Register.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 15.—Governor Craig offered a reward of $50 today for the capture of unknown parties who murdered J. B. Smith, in New Hanover county, September 16. The New Hanover county authorities have also offered a $50 reward.

Steve Davis and Raymond Jones, traveling in a Jack Rabbit Apperson seven-passenger automobile, were arrested late last night close by the State fair grounds on the charge of bringing whiskey through from Lynchburg to be delivered to blind tigers. They had 35 gallons of liquors in the machine, put up in pint bottles. Under the law the automobile, which is a powerful and valuable machine carrying a Virginia state license, will be forfeited and sold for the benefit of the school fund.

Davis and Jones will have a hearing Saturday morning in the municipal court. They have retained Armistead Jones & Son as counsel and will claim that they were on their way from Lynchburg to Jacksonville, Fla., and merely stopped in Raleigh to have some repairs made on the automobile. They will claim immunity through the interstate commerce act. On the other hand, the police claim that packages of the liquors were addressed to Raleigh parties.

Vernon Smith, young printer 18 years old, was arrested this morning on the charge of stealing $26 from the cash register of the Yarborough Hotel news stand and has been bound over to the Superior court. He has made a confession and the money was restored. The young man is a son of William Smith. The cash register was opened in the hotel lobby after the place was closed for the night and without attracting the attention of the night clerk across the lobby.

A charter was issued today for the Lee County Coal Mining Company, of High Point, capital $125,000 authorized and $1,200 subscribed by D. H. Parsons, A. E. Toplin, C. E. McManus ,of High Point; W. J. Tully, Bonlee, and T. E. Jennings, of Thomasville. It is understood that the company proposes to take over and develop the noted Egypt coal mines in Lee county and some extensive development of this property may be expected soon.

A charter was issued this evening for the People's Bank & Trust Co., of Charlotte, for commercial, savings and general trust and fidelity business. The capital is $100,000 authorized and $25,000 subscribed by C. A. Bland, W. W. Robards, S. B. Alexander, Jr., W. R. Foreman, N. V. Porter, J. P. Munroe, Chas. Brenizer, Louis H. Asbury and J. A. Vanness.

PRIZES FOR BOYS

Senator W. B. Cooper Contributes $25 for Members of Corn Clubs.

Mr. J. P. Herring, county farm demonstrator, has received a letter from Senator W. B. Cooper offering to contribute $25 to the fund to be used in giving prizes to the members of the Boys' Corn Clubs in New Hanover county. Mr. Herring appreciates this donation, especially as it came entirely unsolicited. The boys have been working hard to get together and exhibit for the annual Corn Show and Mr. Herring is glad to be able to have the nucleus of a fund for prizes.

Mr. Herring will leave Sunday night for Raleigh to attend the State fair. The exhibits from New Hanover county have already been forwarded.

RECEPTION TONIGHT

Mayor Moore Will Speak at Social Given by Y. M. C. A. Boy Scouts

The Y. M. C. A. troup of the Boy ception tonight in honor of their friends. The event will be given in the boy's lobby of the Y. M. C. A. and will begin at 8:15 p. m. Mayor P. Q. Moore will deliver the principal address of the evening. More than 50 merit badges will be awarded. There will be a demonstration of two important and interesting scout activities. Music will be furnished by Carl Mahler and Lennox Cooper on the piano and violin.

MAJOR STEDMAN TURNED THE TRICK VERY SUCCESSFULLY

Cargoes of Licorice Roots to be Released From Blockade of Allies.

(Special Star Telegraph).

Washington, D. C., Oct. 15.—The State Department has been informed by Great Britain that three thousand tons of licorice roots now in Asia Minor will be released as soon as the United States government makes arrangements for an American bottom to bring the cargo to this country.

Judge Fleming, commercial attache of the State Department, said there would be no trouble about securing the American vessel and he is confident the licorice consignment will be landed in this country in ample time to forestall any embarassment on the part of the tobacco manufacturers. It was understood the supply already here will last until December.

Congressman Stedman is the man who turned the trick for the tobacco people. He spent four or five days here about a week ago and before he left for Greensboro, he had started the movement which has finally resulted in the much sought after roots being freed from the blockade being conducted by the Allies. It is now only a matter of routine to get the shipment to an American port.

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No. 3—Duffy Lewis, Red Sox left fielder, the co-star of the world series.

New Members of Chamber.

The Wilmington Chamber of Commerce has recently received the following new members: Mr. P. H. Mason, local manager of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, the Union Seed and Fertilizer Company and the Cement Products Company.

New plaid silks at C. H. Fore & Co.'s. (Advertisement.)

FUNERAL OF MR. RUMBLEY

Services Conducted by Rev. J. D. Bundy—Interment in Oakdale.

The funeral of Mr. A. J. Rumbley, whose death occurred early Thursday morning, was conducted yesterday morning at 11 o'clock from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. W. K. Stewart, No. 708 Orange street, by Rev. J. D. Bundy, pastor of Grace Methodist church. There were a large number of friends present at the services and there were many beautiful floral tributes. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery.

The palbearers were Messrs. R. C. Platt, J. W. Freeman, N. D. Edwards, E. M. Dewey, W. O. Page, and W. G. A. Otersen.

The three daughters of Mr. Rumbley who live out of the city, were here for the funeral. They are: Mrs. A. F. Dufft, Darlington, S. C.; Mrs. Geo. R. Reed, Baltimore, Mr.; Mrs. Mary Butler, North Augusta, Ga.

FUNERAL OF MR. CASTEEN

Services Conducted From Residence in East Wilmington Yesterday.

The funeral of Mr. Ellis E. Casteen, whose death occurred at his home in East Wilmington Thursday morning, was conducted from the residence yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. H. W. Koelling, pastor of Pearsall Memorial Presbyterian church. The interment was in Bellevue cemetery and was with the honors of the order of Odd Fellows. A delegation from Orion Lodge, I. O. O. F., attended the funeral.

The palleaberers were Messrs. H. E. Walton, W. Tatum, M. J. Jackson and Capt. P. T. Dickey.

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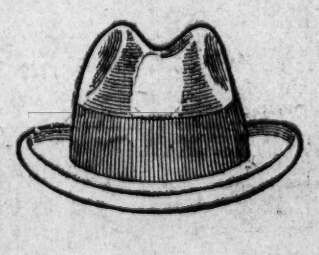

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THEATRICAL

Not since the memorable success of "Baby Mine" has any play scored such a laughing triumph as "Twin Beds," an uproariously funny farce of domestic life in an apartment house, by Salisbury Field and Margaret Mayo, which for a year past caused crowded houses to roar with merriment in New York and which Selwyn & Co., will present here at the Academy of Music on Friday, October 29. "Twin Beds" is a rare theatrical treat. The fun is quick and clean, the lines sparklingly witty, and the highly original complications in which the characters find themselves so mirth-provoking as to be almost irresistible. "Twin Beds" will be presented here by an admirable cast.

National Grand Opera Company.

The Academy of Music will on next Saturday, matinee and night, offer to its patrons a treat rarely obtainable except in the larger cities, in the engagement of the National Opera Company, which comes direct from its many triumphal seasons at the National Theatre, Rome, Italy, where this organization is the proud possessor of the patronage of King Victor and the royal family as first patrons.

The company, which comprises many of the world's greatest artists, will present for this "Rigoletto" in the afternoon, and "Don Pasquale" in the evening, the beautiful score of which will not only be brilliantly sung, but will also have proper instrumental treatment from the large symphony orchestra carried by the company which is under the conductorship of those celebrated directors, Chevalier Giuseppe Angelini and Signor Giovanni Leotti.

The singers to be heard include those justly famed artists, Edvige Vaccari and Cecilia Zavaschi, colorature sopranos; Marian Brooks, contralto; Alice Haesler and Helen Austin, mezzo-sopranos; Louise Berk, soprano; Franco de Gregorio, Alberto Amadi, Roberto Anselmi, tenors; Giuseppe La Puma, Michele Rossini and Ernesto de Giacomo, baritones, and Giuseppe Ansaldine, basso.

The mounting and costuming of the opera has been given the most minute attention by the management and a performance such as is seen only in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, Paris and Rome may be looked for.

The prices for the afternoon performance will be from 50 cents to $1.50. The night prices will range from 50 cents to $2. Tickets will go on sale Thursday morning at Plummer's.

Charlie Chaplin at Bijou.

Charlie Chaplin, "the scream of the screen," heads today's bill at the Bijou in one of the very greatest comedies of his whole career, one of those which was directed by the peerless Mack Sennett, who knew just how to make Charlie the funniest, entitled, "Twenty Minutes of Love," which will be shown for the first time in Wilmington today at the Bijou. Charlie Chaplin is always good—but in this great single-real comedy-deluxe, he excels all his previous efforts, if such a thing can be possible.

Cleo Madison, that great Wilmington favorite, presents today a great three-reel masterpiece, "The Fascination of the Fleur de Lis," with Lon Chaney and Arthur Shirley. It is the story of a girl who comes under the spell of the French national flower and wins her way into the good graces of a king, and is one of the most fascinating of all the great features in which Cleo Madison has starred. The action of the story takes place in an imaginary German province, the scenery is unsurpassed for the purpose of presenting a great, true-to-life portrayal of the story. Miss Madison is allowed ample opportunities for the display of some of that exceptional emotional acting of which she is past-mistress, and the whole three reels is replete with great incidents and will hold your undivided attention throughout.

The Animated Weekly this week, besides many other great events, is absolutely the first weekly to show the great subway disaster in New York City, where many persons lost their lives. It also shows a thrilling auto race at Sheepshead Bay race track.

Nat Goodwin at the Royal.

Today the Royal will not depart from their rule to make Saturday's bills the very greatest and most attractive of the whole week. Today they present America's best known actor, Nat Goodwin, in a great dramatic triumph, "The Master Hand," a five-act photodrama by Carroll Fleming in which Mr. Goodwin is given exceptional opportunities for the display of his versatile genius. Comedy alternates with situations that thrill. When offered at the regular theatres of the country a few years ago, the drama was received with much applause.

Nat Goodwin is the star of the photo-play, which abounds in the most thrilling situations and incidents; it has an intensely gripping story and plot; is well cast and acted, and in respect of photography and production is a feature film of outstanding excellence.

Nat Goodwin has, in a sense, to be everything by turns and nothing wrong in this play. Plot and passion; perfidy and perjury—all the sins of the decalogue appear to be either active or imminent in the story. Mr. Bigelow (impersonated by Nat Goodwin) is the agency by which all trouble is dispelled. Ralliston, husband of a rich woman whom he dislikes, plots her death so that he can get possession of her money. A poisoning lady doctor, and the unscrupulous keeper of a private sanitarium are his tools.

The plotting and counter-plotting that follow are bewildering in their sensationalism. Bigelow's is the "master hand" which straightens out all the turmoil and brings about a happy conclusion to the drama.

Good Show at Grand.

Another of the episodes of Kalem's remarkable "Mysteries of the Grand Hotel" is on at the Grand today. It is "When Thieves Fall Out." A well known hotel in the West is said to have furnished the material upon which this two-act drama is based. According to the story, Dick Whalen, a clever crook, and his pal, Kate, plan to pull off a big deal. The manner in which the theft is accomplished, and the slip which brings the conspirators to justice, results in an unusual story. It is easily one of the best of the Kalem series.

"The Fable of Hazel's Two Husbands" and what became of them is a one-reel comedy by George Ade, featuring Ruth Stonehouse, Charles J. Stine and Eugene Acker. This is a screaming farce, one of the kind that is full of good original humor.

"The Master of the Bengals" is a Selig one-reel Jungle-Zoo wild animal drama, produced by L. W. Chaudet, from the story written by Capt. A. Hiltbrunner. It's a beautiful love story with a handsome young animal trainer who falls in love with Rakah's only daughter. The cast includes George Larkin, a noted Universal star, Irene Wallace and John Lancaster.

Don't forget Charles Chaplin, the greatest of all comedians, will be at the Grand Tuesday in his latest two-reel Essanay comedy, "Shanghaied."

The admission is only five cents. For the best pictures in town visit the Grand.

"Jesse James"—Matinee and Night

The Harme Associate Players offer for matinee and night performances today at the Victoria Theatre "Jesse James, the Missouri Outlaw." The play is one that abounds in comedy and pathos.

"Jesse James, the Missouri Outlaw," is one of the best western melodramas ever staged, the plot brings to life the period when that great country was one vast range, where cowboys, bandits and Indians held sway.

NAT GOODWIN
The Celebrated Star in "The Master Hand," Royal Today.

CLEO MADISON.
In "The Fascination of the Fleur de Lis," Bijou Today.

TANGOING HORSES.

Many Novelties With Carl Hagenbeck-Wallace Circus This Year.

Many features, said to be new and excellent, will be presented this year by the Carl Hagenbeck-Wallace Circus, which will exhibit in Wilmington Monday, October 18. According to the advance information the act of Mme. Bedini with her tangoing horses is one of the most enjoyable of the entire bill, because it shows the possibilities in the education of a horse, which appears to have almost human sense. This woman has taught her horses many new steps in their dancing act. Nearly four hundred performers are on the bill and they perform their acts on the ground, on a stage and high in the air.

Among the acrobatic and gymnastic celebrities with the show are the Six Wards, Gladys Gorman, the Eugene Troupe, the Cottrell-Powell Trio, the Australian Waites, Sisters La Low, and others. The leading bareback rider is Oscar Lowande. Lowande is rated as the most accomplished bareback rider in the circus profession. He jumps from the ground to a speeding horse's back, facing the opposite direction from which the horse is running. The Powells, the Cottrells, the Ledgett Troupe, Mme. Bedini and others are in the long list of equestrian artists. The circus will come to this city fresh from its winter quarters, where all of the equipment was practically made over into new.

A new troupe of performing leopards is one of the new features of the show this season. These leopards were bought by Col. Wallace because he had induced Mme. La Pearl, "the woman without fear," to return to her profession of performing with trained leopards. Mme. La Pearl was retired, but during last winter she visited her husband, who is one of the animal trainers with the show, at Cincinnati, O., and Mr. Wallace engaged her to return to her profession.

She was putting her 12 Polar Bears through a course of training recently, when one of the tricky animals pounced on her and threw her to the ground. Her arms and shoulders were badly lacerated before she beat off the animal, but she has kept on with the work, and now has the animals subdued to such an extent they act like tame kittens in her hands. She will show them in the performance here.

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White House Denies Miss Wilson To Wed

TELEGRAM FROM FRANK E. COMPTON ASSERTS HE NEVER SAID HE AND PRESIDENT'S DAUGHTER WERE ENGAGED.

(New York World).

Washington, Oct. 13.—President Wilson, through Secretary Tumulty, today denied a report printed in some newspapers this morning to the effect that Miss Margaret Wilson, eldest daughter of the President, is engaged to Frank E. Compton of Chicago. Mr. Compton was alleged to have told newspaper reporters of the engagement, but he sent the following telegram to the White House:

"Have just learned of alleged interview with me in Washington papers. I have repeatedly and unqualifiedly denied my engagement to Miss Wilson. The interview quoted is false and fictitious. Reporters called upon my brother and myself yesterday and were informed by us that we had nothing whatever to say, and we refused absolutely to discuss the matter at all with them. I regret exceedingly the embarrassment caused. You are authorized on my behalf to deny the interview."

A similar story met with emphatic denial from both parties months ago. It was stated today that there never was the slightest foundation for the reported engagement.

MEETS AT CERRO GORDO AND NOT WHITEVILLE

Cape Fear-Columbus Association Convenes Next Week.

Whiteville, N. C., Oct. 15.—The Cape Fear-Columbus Baptist Association will meet with the Baptist church at Cerro Gordo, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, October 20, 21 and 22, says Rev. A. H. Porter, who is anxious that this announcement be given publicity to counteract the effect of the erroneous announcement published to the effect that this association would meet October 29, 30 and 31 with the Baptist church at Whiteville.

Of the meeting to be held at Cerro Gordo next week, Rev. Mr. Porter says: "It is hoped that all the churches belonging to this body will be represented. The public is invited to attend."

Rev. D. P. Bridges will preach the introductory sermon Wednesday at 11:15 a. m.

GOLDSBORO DEFEATS RALEIGH.

Seven to Nothing Score in Interesting Game Yesterday.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Oct. 15.—In a fine exhibition of football this afternoon Goldsboro defeated Raleigh seven to nothing. This is the second game of the season, Goldsboro having defeated Kinston last Friday. It was a fine game throughout. Raleigh made a desperate effort in the last half and only missed the goal by five yards.

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Having this day qualified as Administratrix C. T. A. of William Ferdinand Richter, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said testator to present the same to me for payment on or before October 8th, 1916, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to the estate of said Testator will please make immediate payment.

Dated this October 8th, 1915.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE

United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina.

Baltimore Trust Company, Trustee, vs. Southern Seaboard Lumber Corporation.—In Equity. Ancillary Foreclosure Bill.

The report of M. A. O'Byrne, as Commissioner, under the decree of sale of July 16th, 1915 in the above stated cause as to the sale of the properties of the Southern Seaboard Lumber Corporation covered by said decree of sale, being presented to the Court,

IT IS THEREUPON ORDERED, CONSIDERED AND ADJUDGED that all parties interested show cause if any they have before me on the 18th day of October, 1915, at the District Court at Wilson, N. C., at 10 o'clock A. M. why the report of the Commissioner should not be adopted and the sale of the properties of the Southern Seaboard Lumber Corporation covered by said decree of sale confirmed to G. Roy Mulier at and for the sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Alex L. Blow, Clerk of this Court shall advertise a copy of this order daily for (10) ten days in the Wilmington Star, a newspaper published at Wilmington, N. C.

In open court New Bern, N. C., this 6th day of October, 1915.

H. G. CONNOR,
Judge U. S. District Court.
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TOP O' THE MORNING

The real corrupters of society may be, not the corrupt, but those who have held back the righteous leaven, the salt that has lost its savor, the innocent who have not even the moral courage to show what they think of the effrontery of impurity—the serious, who yet timidly succumb before some loud-voiced scoffer—the heart trembling with sensibility, yet suffers itself to be beaten down into outward acquiescence by some rude and worldly pasture. —J. H. THOM.

The Progressive party made a preparedness speech a few days ago, but it was mixed up with jingoism.

Senator Dupont favors more warships and more big guns. Even if he does make powder he never mentioned that as his main reason.

After the war is over it will be too late for any foreign nation to come over here to establish a zone of influence with a fence around it.

Millions for defense but not one penny for offense—aggression, territorial expansion, world dominancy or to deny any other nation, large or small, its rights.

The New York American says Wall Street is back of Carranza. The best way to find out is to ask Wall Street to let Carranza have a small amount of change.

Don't be afraid to wade in. A man once waited two days for a boat so he could cross a stream and then found that it was too shallow to float a skiff. He was afraid to wade in.

Next August it will be two years since the war broke out in Europe, but between now and then we can do a great deal for Wilmington if we don't think more about Europe than we do about Wilmington.

President Wilson is being subtly and covertly attacked in various ways, but we guess the people see through it all. Republicans do not refer to the position on national defense he has taken but lay great stress upon observations made without going into explanations before intelligent audiences.

The Charlotte Observer notes: "Human nature! When the Alabama farmers found they could get $50 a ton for their cottonseed, they thought $60 might look better, so shut off the source of supply." The farmers have found out what all other traders do when the supply is short and the demand is good.

Says the Chatham Record: "Some worthless dogs got into the flock of turkeys belonging to Mr. John E. Harmon, of this township, and killed 33 of them." Probably on Thanksgiving day, Mr. Harmon will refrain from being thankful for legislatures that have never cared a dog-gone about what worthless dogs can do.

Sir Edward Grey's speech before the house of commons on Thursday will open the eyes of England. Superb diplomacy has failed to keep the Balkan phase out of the war, and only the future will disclose what that failure will mean. It was worth all the efforts made, but if England has never been aroused before, the mere statement made by Sir Edward ought to be all that is necessary.

We hate the idea of spending millions for defense, but we don't hate it half so bad as we do the idea that we might have to pay millions for tribute on account of lack of preparedness to knock the gangplank from under expansion pirates and nation destroyers who are prepared. We are told that we have no cause to fear that they will reach out for us. Probably somebody once told China the same thing! Oh, no, we are not afraid that any of them are going to do a thing to us, for we are going to be so adequately prepared that it won't be any use for us to be afraid. In fact, we don't favor preparedness because we are afraid, but in order to make others afraid to monkey with a buzzsaw.

ARTFUL DISSEMBLERS

The Mid-West Conference on Preparedness at Davenport, Iowa, seems to have been more of a conference of artful dissemblers. Ostensibly the conference was for the purpose of getting the West lined up for American preparedness but the speakers took advantage of it to work in a cheap brand of politics. For instance, there was "condemnation of certain utterances of President Wilson and William Jennings Bryan regarding citizen soldiery and non-resistance," etc. Among the speakers were Senator Cummins, Republican, aspirant for the presidential nomination; Henry D. Estabrook, a New York lawyer, and others. Mr. Estabrook attacked William Jennings Bryan as a way of advocating preparedness, and Senator Cummins took occasion to say that he was opposed to the Administration plan of increasing the army and the navy. He talked about a plan of his own, but there is nothing in it to appeal to Americans who don't want any half-baked army or naval programme during such a critical period as is to follow the war in Europe.

Lawyer Estabrook was far away from the subject of preparedness when he harked back to an informal speech of President Wilson at Philadelphia some time ago, in order to remark: "To say that we are too big or too proud to fight in self-defense is, with all respect to the estimable but mistaken gentleman who said it, absurd and puerile."

As a matter of fact, President Wilson didn't say it that way at all, and what he did say was only casual and did not mean that this nation was too "big and proud to fight for self defense." The President, at the time referred to, was not even discussing the subject of self-defense, national defense or any other kind of defense. He was talking with particular reference to the critical status of the relations between this country and Germany at that time. What he did say then was that "there is such a thing as being too proud to fight." The subject of the Nation's defense had no part in the speech in which the President made the remark quoted.

Estabrook purposely and deliberately misrepresented the President and preferred to harp on a passing remark, which he contorted to suit his purpose, instead of stating and endorsing the President's now formally announced plans for "adequate defense" or ample defense, as it may as well be understood by all except politicians who prefer to oppose him.

The daily dispatches from Washington, telling about President Wilson's support of big army and navy plans, show whether he meant that this nation is too proud to fight in self defense, because his policy is one for something to fight with, if we have to defend our country.

If Estabrook had really been for "preparedness" instead of cheap politics, he would have ignored the President's Philadelphia utterance but would have urged the West to get behind President Wilson's real preparedness programme.

Probably a little later the Republicans will change their attack on President Wilson to a charge that he is getting too militaristic for them. Working "preparedness" for politics will be fully understood by intelligent American citizens without regard to their political affiliations.

A MOMENTOUS PHASE OF THE WAR

As a matter of course all the Allies necessarily will co-operate in staying the Teutonic invasion of the Balkans, the only question being how soon they can throw sufficient troops across the front of the invaders.

A Balkan dissolution now is even more dangerous to Europe's peace than any former breaking up of that turbulent country would have been during the past hundred years or more. The Balkans always have suffered from first one and then another kind of European intervention from time immemorial. If the Balkans had been let alone to bring about a solution of their own troubles, they would have ceased to be a menace to the peace of Europe long ago. Every time the petty Balkan states have had a row the powers have feared that it would disarrange the so-called balance of power in Europe.

There hasn't been much balance of power in Europe and that really has been the cause of trouble all these years. The Balkans have constituted a fine lot of "buffer states" in the south of Europe, while Belgium and Holland have answered the purpose in Northeastern and Central Europe, which has been buffered away from outlet to commerce on the north and on the south. For centuries Russia has been hemmed in by the Bosphorus and the Dardanelles and that is the reason why the Bear has always growled for possession of Constantinople. The Central Powers also have been hemmed in on the Adriatic and the Aegean, and between them and Russia there has been jealousy as to dominating influence in the Balkans because they have possessed all the seacoast countries till Austria finally broke through to the Adriatic by gobbling up Trentina, Bosnia and Herzegovina. Italy had owned Trentina till Austria despoiled her of it, while other "buffers" which kept Austria hemmed in on the Adriatic were dependencies of old Turkey.

The Balkan states have played old Harry with Turkey till she looks as if she is about to slide off the European map. She would have gone clear off when the Balkan allies conquered her a few years ago, but she made altogether too good a "buffer," so the powers kept just enough of her on the map to answer their purpose. They also made a buffer of Albania, but already Italy and Serbia have moved in and probably will divide that country between them if their calculations are not upset.

Gibraltar commands the outlet for the whole bunch of nations in Southern Europe and that monster fortification is even more formidable than a buffer. However, a map will tell the tale at a glance, but whatever tale it tells, it is a pity that Europe has been so surcharged with international jealousies that the nations haven't trusted each other with outlets to the seas of the world. The Central Powers have never been disposed to trust Russia, while Russia wouldn't trust the Central Powers, and so neither ever would let the other put the Balkan buffers out of business. Meanwhile the Mistress of the Seas has been interested in seeing all of them maintain the "status quo" just as it always has been, but while she has played a masterful part with her diplomacy she has always dreaded and prevented a war over the situation. War clouds have been numerous from time to time, but diplomacy has staved off the fatal hour till now.

Great Britain has been the master of the whole European situation up to now, and probably she knew what she was doing all these centuries when she put a ring around Europe with her navy and fortifications. However, the Teutonic drive down through the Balkans means everything to her. It menaces the Suez Canal, Egypt, India and the whole of her Asiatic and African possessions.

To be sure, this is a momentous war, and probably outside of England few have realized with amazement and consternation the inconceivable magnitude of the grave possibilities of a successful Teutonic drive down through the Balkans, which heretofore have stood as the buffers in the protection of Great Britain's greatest possessions. The war itself is appalling, but the possible consequences of it are more so. It is difficult to contemplate all without an overwhelming sense of apprehension of its meaning to the whole world.

This is only skimming along the surface and leaving it to those with knowledge of history and geography to grasp the full meaning of the Balkan phase of the war.

ARE WE IN THE GAME?

A man generally does what he thinks about the most, and, in the majority of cases, while doing it he does a whole lot of people. Success means everything to a man and a whole lot to his community and its people. A man's failure does not affect himself and his family only. Others are sure to lose something by his failure, while others will gain on account of it. If he has been a competitor his failure is an advantage to those with whom he has competed. It makes one competitor less.

Too many failures ruin a community, for it gains the reputation of being a business graveyard, just as some cities have the reputation of being newspaper graveyards. A city which makes the most progress is one where its business men score success. Therefore, we ought to help each other to achieve success and not let anybody fail if we can prevent it by timely assistance. The best way for a community to achieve success and make progress is to patronize home establishments, home institutions and local industries.

Wilmington first for Wilmingtonians, when it comes to business. When we mak up our minds to stick to Wilmington instead of getting stuck by other cities, we will be doing something to make Wilmington. One of our slogans used to be "Talk Wilmington," but talking Wilmington is joshing Wilmington when we do our talking here and do our trading somewhere else. We don't know how many retail purchasers are buying from mail order houses and we don't know how many merchants and business men are sending orders North for what they can buy from local factories, but if there are many, they ought to quit "talking Wilmington" to her face while getting her goat by failing to give her their support.

Wilmington speaks for herself, so it's no use simply to "talk Wilmington" without helping Wilmington along the road to success. The only reason why Wilmington could possibly be a failure is that we would fail first and become a lot of broken sticks for her to depend upon. Wilmington is achieving success because of her advantages and the success of her business and manufacturing establishments, but how many of us are doing the talking instead of helping those who are helping Wilmington?

Wilmington can't be a thing but what her people make it, but we ought not to let a few of the people do what all the people should do. There will be no discouraged, disappointed business and manufacturing establishments if we will do the right thing by them and they will do the right thing by each other as well. It has to be a mutual game for the whole team. Of course, all this means that all of us must do all we can, but be careful not to do Wilmington by failing to do our best by the city, by its industries, by its newspapers, and by all the factors in Wilmington's success.

Just a little reflection along this line is needed to make us appreciate the meaning of the "Made in Wilmington" parade scheduled by the Rotary club as a feature of the Corn Show and Floral and Horticultural Fair, November 16 to 19. Every one of us ought to be interested in that industrial pageant, especially those who make something, little or big. It is a fine chance for all manufacturers to do something for themselves and the city by letting us and all Eastern North Carolina know that they make something worth buying from them right here in Wilmington factories or from Wilmington jobbers or in Wilmington mercantile establishments.

The "Made-in-Wilmington" parade is intended to emphasize the importance of Wilmington's industries and to impress the advantages offered by Wilmington for manufacturing. When we exhibit our success, people will know that we are not failures in any particular.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The Wilmington Star is guilty of the wurst ever, that paper up and saying: "We are glad that Wilmington has one of the best wurst factories in the State. One of its best products is its all-razorback sausage."—Raleigh News and Observer.

That two days of fair week have passed without a single arrest for disorder or drunkenness is in itself a commentary on the prohibition law of North Carolina. During the days of the open saloon, the patrol wagon would have been kept busy handling the intoxicated citizens on an occasion like this. It is illogical to believe that the human character has undergone so complete a metamorphosis in a decade, therefore the justification of the assumption that prohibition to a large degree really does prohibit and act as an elevator for the community.—Greensboro Record.

The tobacco production in North Carolina, as ascertained by the sales in the tobacco towns, shows a material increase over that of last year. During September the planters sold 38,195,730 pounds, which indicates a gain of 6,310,796 pounds over the same month in 1914. Six markets in the State are in the class of over a million pounds in sales, Wilson leading with the splendid record of more than 7,000,000 pounds, which was not very far from doubling the sales of the next highest town, Raeford and Sanford, in the new tobacco section, marketed considerably over 100,000 pounds. This has been a record year in North Carolina for every kind of farm products except cotton, and what that crop lost in output it more than made up in value. — Charlotte Observer.

Last year the managers of the State Farm at Halifax decided to go out of the cotton growing business and devote their energies to wheat. It is now reported that the crop of the past summer panned out 1,500,000 pounds. For many years cotton was the chief crop raised on the State Farm, and the land, being of exceeding fertility, produced an enormous amount on the basis of acreage. Many farmers could not get the idea out of their heads that the State was in competition with them and using convict labor, at that, but in making the change the penitentiary management did not have that in mind. The idea was to set the example in grain growing and to encourage farmers in all parts of the State to make the departure. Grain growing on the State farm has proved a splendid success and by way of inspiration is worth much more than the money value of the crop.—Charlotte Observer.

MR. J. G. CHAUNCEY DEAD

Former Fire Chief of Washington, N. N., Has Passed Away.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Washington, N. C., Oct. 15.—Mr. J. G. Chauncey, one of Washington's oldest and most highly respected citizens, died at the home of Mr. Geo. E. Buckman here this morning at 10:30 after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Chauncey at the time of his death was 69 years of age, he was a member of the Methodist church, a prominent Mason and for a number of years chief of the local fire department.

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Pearsall Memorial Presbyterian church, East Wilmington, Rev. W. H. Koellinn, pastor: Sabbath school in the morning at 9:30. Preaching at 11:15 Junior Christian Endeavor at 7:30 in the evening. Senior Christian Endeavor at 8. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8. A cordial welcome to all services.

Harnett Street Mission, Eighth and Harnett streets: Sabbath school at 9:30 in the morning. Preaching every second and fourth sabbaths.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. John M. Wells, D. D., pastor: Services in the morning at 11 and in the evening at 8, with preaching by Dr. Wells. Subject for the morning sermon: "Jesus of Nazareth," and for the evening, "The Orators and Oratory of the Bible." Sunday school at 4 in the afternoon. Christian Endeavor at 7:15 in the evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8. A cordial welcome awaits all.

Winter Park Presbyterian church, Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor: Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, with sermon on "Heaven—Its Location;" being the beginning of a series of six sermons on the subject of heaven. Sunday school at 3:30. Midweek service Wednesday evening at 7:45. Public cordially invited to attend all services.

Delgado Presbyterian church, Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor: Services Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, conducted by the pastor. Sunday school in the morning at 10:15. Midweek service Thursday evening at 7:30. Everyone welcome at the services.

Immanuel Presbyterian church, corner Front and Queen streets, Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor: Preaching in the morning at 11 and in the evening at 7:30, by the pastor. Sunday school in the afternoon at 3. The public is most cordially invited to attend all services. Come and bring your friends!

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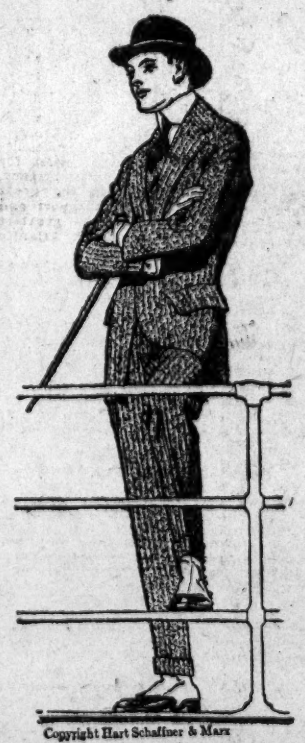

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FIRE PREVENTION DAY OBSERVED BY CHILDREN

Col. Walker Taylor Makes Interesting Addresses

Exercises in All Wilmington Schools Yesterday—Fire Drills at Union and Isaac Bear—Interesting Programmes.

Col. Walker Taylor, vice president of the National Association of Local Insurance Agents, was the principal speaker at the exercises in each of the six Wilmington schools yesterday in observance of Fire Prevention day. Supt. John J. Blair had charge of the exercises at each of the schools and was accompanied by Fire Chief Charles Schnibben, Assistant Fire Chief W. P. Monroe, and four firemen, in addition to Colonel Taylor.

The exercises at the High School were held at 9 o'clock and were opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, after which Mr. Blair in a short talk explained the object of the observance of the day and read the proclamation of Governorer Craig. Colonel Taylor was then introduced. He spoke in the highest praise of the Wilmington fire department, declaring that it was second to none in the South.

The Union was the next school visited by the party. The children gave a fire drill, making a splendid record. The fire alarm was turned and two big motor trucks from the central station responded promptly, reaching the building within two minutes. The children marched out in an orderly manner and were lined up on the campus when the motor trucks arrived. The following programme was rendered:

Song, "America."
Address by Col. Walker Taylor.
"Some Ways to Prevent Fires," by Rose Lily Mote, of Fourth grade.
Song, "Ho! for Carolina."
Fire drill.

A fire drill was also given at the Isaac Bear school and the children made record time, getting out of the building in one minute and five seconds. There was a good attendance of the patrons at all the schools and the school committeeman of the respective schools attended the exercises at the Cornelius Harnett, William Hooper, Hemenway and the Isaac Bear.

Members of the local Underwriter's Association attended in a body the exercises at the Hemenway school as a mark of respect to Colonel Taylor, who is president of the organization. The following programme was rendered:

Song, "America."
Recitation by Kathleen Linder of third grade.
Recitation, "An Unwelcome Visitor," by Dorothy Boon of seventh grade.
"Do's and Don't's," Mrs. Brock's section of seventh grade.
Song, "Ho! for Carolina!"
Address by Colonel Taylor.

Colonel Taylor in his addresses showed the urgent need of fire prevention and spoke most interestingly of what has been done in this direction in recent years. His address in part was as follows:

"The object of this day is primarily to instruct all citizens and their children in the simple elements of fire prevention, to the end that all owners of property shall take steps to see that their buildings be thoroughly inspected for the purpose of discovery and the removal of dangerous conditions therein; that the civil authorities concerned in the prevention of fires take steps to call the attention of the people of their community to the common fire dangers and co-operate with them in every possible way in correcting dangerous conditions; and that our school authorities, both public and private, shall conduct such appropriate exercises as will impress upon the pupils the danger of fire and the methods of its prevention, and that every school in this State inaugurate a system of fire drills which shall be made a permanent feature and practice at frequent intervals throughout the school year, and to do all possible to arouse an interest in this subject, to beget the habits of caution and care in handling all fire-producing materials, to create a feeling of personal responsibility in preventing losses of life and property by fire.

Origin of Conflagrations.

"This is the 44th anniversary of the Chicago fire. Like most of the great conflagrations of the world, and like most smaller fires, it was started by an easily preventable cause. Mrs. O'Leary's famous cow, which kicked over a lamp in a stable, started that conflagration which laid waste three and one-half square miles, destroyed 17,450 buildings, killed 200 people, and made 98,500 homeless. The Baltimore conflagration in 1904, destroying $85,000,000 worth of property in the heart of the business district, was started by a lighted match carelessly thrown down a grating over the basement windows of a wholesale store, where a pile of rubbish soon flamed up and started a fire which spread over 180 acres.

"These are the conspicuous cases but the great majority of every-day fires is due to the same kind of carelessness and is as easily preventable by proper precaution. These little carelessness fires, taken together, burn hundreds of millions of property and destroy thousands of lives. They exhaust the National wealth; they affect the prosperity of the country, and they endanger the lives of the people. They can be stopped if men, women and children will be careful instead of reckless—and to encourage that, and enforce a sense of individual responsibility for the fire waste, is the purpose of Fire Prevention day.

How Not to Have Fires.

"When a boy plays with matches, or a man carelessly throws away a lighted cigar, he does not stop to think that the fire he causes goes to make up a part of the tremendous fire loss in our country. This loss amounts to about $250,000,000 a year. Sometimes if there is a big fire in one of our large cities, the sum is much greater; sometimes it is less. This average loss of $250,000,000 means that property is burned up at the rate of $500 a minute for every one of the 60 minutes in every one of the 24 hours in all of the 365 days in the year. If this seems impossible to you, just multiply $500 by 60x24x365.

"It is said that two-thirds of all the fires in the country are caused by carelessness, ignorance, or lack of proper precaution, and that they might have been prevented. The question before every one in the United States—men, women, and children—is how not to have so many fires, because the fires destroy forests which require at least 40 years to grow, timber which comes

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For the Proposed Naval Research Institution.

Col. S. A. Jones, of Waynesville, Thinks There is Not a More Suitable Place—Believes North Caroline Can Secure It.

That Southport would be an ideal location for the naval research laboratory, which was proposed by the Naval Advisory Board at its first meeting in Washington recently, is the opinion of Col. S. A. Jones, of Waynesville, who has long been a champion of the advantages that Wilmington and Southport offer in the way of harbor and port facilities. Colonel Jones thinks that Secretary of the Navy Daniels deserves great credit for bringing together the very best talent of the nation to prepare it to protect itself against invading enemies.

In a signed statement sent to the State papers and received by The Star last night, Colonel Jones sets forth his views as follows, which are bound to prove of intense interest to the people of Wilmington and Southport especially and to the State generally:

"I note with great interest, as I presume all the people have, that at the first meeting of the Naval and Army Advisory Board, with Mr. Edison as chairman, they have started out like they mean business. If they can get the backing of Congress, which there is no reason to doubt they will have, then something will be doing.

"And whatever else may be said about Mr. Josephus Daniels, by enemy or friend, it will stand forever to his credit of conceiving the practical idea of bringing together the very best talent of this nation to prepare it to protect itself against invading enemies.

"It seems it is going to involve the expenditure for buildings, grounds, and wharves, the amount of five million dollars, and going to cost from two to three million dollars a year to run it, and it will be the cheapest money the American people have ever put up.

"A North Carolina man originated the thought, the North Carolina delegation in Congress holds the position to secure that institution and have it located on Southport harbor at the mouth of the Cape Fear river, and a small appropriation will deepen the bar so the biggest dreadnaught can get in.

"There is not a more lovely or suitable place, splendid climate the year round and healthful, not a more convenient place on the coast of the United States, when the railroad lines are open to the West to bring its supplies.

"The South is entitled to this institution. And North Carolina has the best located port on the South Atlantic coast for it. And Southport is sufficiently removed from the great cities for it to be easily protected in its privacy, and yet not conflict with the great future that lies before Southport and Wilmington to become the greatest ports of entry on the South Atlantic coast.

"This institution will be world-wide known as the most famous scientific institution to keep nations at peace on the earth, and if time is taken by the forelock, it can be secured for North Carolina, and it should be secured in honor of Mr. Daniels' creditable record for reformation of the Navy, and for this practical scientific move which is abreast with the foremost thought of the day for safeguards of this nation against invasion by foreign foes."

CIVIL SERVICE POSITIONS

Examinations to Be Held at Wilmington During October and November.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces a number of examinations to be held at Wilmington during the next two months. The open competitive examination for chemist at the Watertown Arsenal on October 20, has been cancelled on account of the falling off of work at the testing laboratory there. Some of the examinations announced are as follows:

November 2—Senior mechanical engineer at a salary of from $1,800 to $2,700 per annum in the department of physical valuation of common carriers, Inter-State Commerce Commission. Senior civil engineer, same department, same salary. Senior telegraph engineer and telephone engineer, same department, same salary. Senior architect, same department, same salary. Senior structural engineer, same salary, same department. Senior Electrical engineer, same department, same salary. Senior signal engineer, same department, same salary.

November 3—Examination for engineer, plumber and general mechanic, cancelled. Teacher of metal working and mechanical drawing in the Indian Service, at Haskell Institute, Kansas, at $720 per year and quarters. Associate Gas Engineer in Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C., at a salary of $2,000 a year.

December 8-9—Surveyor and transit man in general land office at salary of from $100 to $110 per month for transit man and $125 to $150 for surveyor and a graduate per diem in lieu of subsistence.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

Little Change in Temperature is Forecasted for Today.

The local weather bureau in its daily summary of weather conditions yesterday issued the following:

"Temperatures are generally above the seasonal average in the southern central and eastern sections, and about normal in the extreme Northwest.

"Local rains have fallen in the eastern districts and in the plains states, and southern Rocky Mountain region.

"A marked high pressure area has moved into the northern Lake region, and a second high area covers the north Pacific states, while a moderate disturbance is centered in the extreme southwest.

"The conditions indicate cloudy weather for this section tonight, and partly cloudy on Saturday. There will be little change in temperature."

President Hall Invited.

President L. E. Hall, of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, has received an invitation to attend the Scientific Pan-American Congress which meets in Washington in December. The invitation is signed by Hon. Robert Lansing, Secretary of State.

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MORE INTEREST TAKEN IN CORN SHOW PLANS

Decision to Hold Under Canvas Initial Step.

Executive Committee and Chairmen Have Important Meeting—Ladies of Sorosis Busy—Reduced Railroad Rates.

Announcement of committees and the decision to have the Cape Fear Corn Show under a tent on Market street, between Front and Second, with the live stock exhibit between Front and Water on the same street, resulted from the meeting of the executive committee and chairmen of the different comittees held yesterday at 12 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce.

The idea had rather prevailed that the show this year would be held in the building formerly occupied by the Builders' Supply Co., near the foot of Chestnut street, should same be available, but in view of the fact that nothing definite could be heard from the others who live elsewhere and the tent would make it a more attractive proposition as shown from the experience of other cities holding small fairs, it was thought well to hold to this idea with a definite understanding that it be carried out. The matter of securing this location will be taken up with the City Council at their next meeting by Mr. Hugh MacRae, who is well acquainted with the needs of the Corn Show and is one of the original promoters of the proposition.

The committees have been selected with a view to having as complete co-operative effort as possible and with the meeting yesterday the plans took more definite form and a great deal more interest is being manifested locally coupled with the fact that the people in the surrounding sections are even more enthusiastic than ever before is strong evidence of the success of the show as a whole this year. The tent will mean many more novel and attractive features that otherwise would not have been attempted, and fits in splendid with the "Made in Wilmington Parade," and the well devised plans of the Rotarians to make this a great success.

Reduced Railroad Rates.

Due to the past success of the Corn Show in Wilmington and its growing popularity in the surrounding territory, it is expected, it will bring larger crowds this year. The Atlantic Coast Line in a letter from Mr. T. C. White, General Passenger Agent, to the committee yesterday announced reduction in rates from all points on its lines within fifty miles of Wilmington. This will mean from Wilmington to Magnolia on the Wilmington and Weldon; Wilmington to Garland on the A. & M.; Jacksonville on the Newbern branch and Whiteville on the W. C. & A. These rates will be in effect from November 16 to 19 inclusive.

Asks for Co-Operative Effort.

The plan of financing the show has been given considerable attention and thought and has been so devised that it will meet with general approval, it is believed, from the Wilmington public. The idea of charging a small admission fee is believed to be the best method of safeguarding the fair and putting it on a more substantial basis. However, this will not figure in the plans of the finance committee to assume and be assured of the initial expense in carrying the showing to success. The advertising committee has also hit upon the idea of enlisting the merchants and business firms generally in more or less of an advertising campaign, just at this time especially in the matter of having corn show literature printed on the backs of envelopes, and otherwise displayed on their stationary, which will be gladly done at the sanction and expense of the Corn Show through the advertising committee, which is arranging for a systematic plan of advertising.

The willingness displayed by the ladies representing the North Carolina Sorosis in carrying out their different features even more elaborately than ever before is probably the most conspicuous feature at this time. The Programme Committee will try this year to add additional attraction by having prominent speakers to come to Wilmington.

BECOMES CHIEF CLERK IN ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Mr. H. V. Conly Appointed as Successor of Late Mr. James C. Lodor.

Mr. H. V. Conly, for the past six years first assistant chief clerk in the office of the United States District Engineer in Wilmington, has been appointed by Capt. C. S. Ridley as chief clerk to succeed the late Mr. James C. Lodor, who served in this position for a period of 30 years. News was received from Washington yesterday confirming Captain Ridley's recommendation.

Mr. Conly was transferred to Wilmington from the New York office and has served the department most acceptably since he has been in Wilmington. He is a native of Virginia and for a number of years was connected with leading newspapers in Philadelphia before taking up work for the government.

He is well qualified for his new duties as well as being a man of genial personality. He has a host of friends here and elsewhere who will learn with much pleasure of his promotion.

SPECIAL SERIES SERMONS

By Rev. Andrew J. Howell at Winter Park Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Andrew J. Howell announces that, beginning tomorrow morning, he will preach in the Winter Park Presbyterian church a series of six sermons on Heaven. The subjects will be: "Its Location," "Its Inhabitants and Their State," "Its Employments," "Its Mansions and Rest," "Contrasts With Earth," "Voices From Heaven." A cordial invitation is given to every one to attend the services.

Prominent Baptists in the City.

Rev. Livingston Johnson, D. D., of Raleigh, corresponding secretary of the Baptist State Convention, and Prof. G. E. Lineberry, president of Chowan College, Murphreesboro, N. C., were registered at the Orton last night. Dr. Johnson recently accepted the pastorate of the First Baptist church of Rocky Mount, following fifteen years of service as chief executive of the mission work of the Baptist denomination of the State. Professor Lineberry was for several years the educational field secretary of the Baptist State Convention.

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ANOTHER LIQUOR SEIZURE

Five Substantial Trunks With Kegs and Bottles Seized Upon Arrival of Evening Train Yesterday.

Five large, substantial trunks, each securely roped and strapped and containing upwards of a hundred gallons of that peculiar liquid refreshment which is outlawed just now in North Carolina, were seized yesterday evening about 6 o'clock at the baggage room of the Atlantic Coast Line in this city, upon the arrival of the evening train from Richmond, Va.

Two of the trunks had just reached the city on the train and Plainclothes Officers Leon George and D. W. Coleman and Officer Charles E. Wood, who had received a "tip" from up the road and were waiting, incidentally stumbled on three other of the trunks that appear to have been in the waiting room for a day or two, all three "smelling to high heaven" from one of the containers which evidently been broken in transit. The officers took possession of the "baggage," under the search and seizure act, and had just left with them on a wagon for the police station when a colored drayman showed up at the baggage room with checks for all five of the trunks. He had left, however, when the officers returned to the station after the seizure. The trunks were each shipped from Richmond and the "passengers" accompanying them have apparently not yet shown up to claim possession. Meantime the trunks are securely locked at the the police station awaiting the owner or owners.

When opened at the station house, two of the trunks were found liberally packed with excelsior and between each of the several layers of this material was a nestling of half pint bottles of "Old Dixie Corn." The other three trunks were a little more elaborately packed and in the centre of a liberal padding of excelsior in each there nestled a 20-gallon keg of liquid fire, brand unknown. This consignment was manifestly intended for the retail trade for one of the trunks contained with the compliments of the dealer a bag of new corks evidently for the use of the customer who came and brought his flask to be filled.

This is the first large seizure of the "ardent" in several months by the local police, but this does not mean that the avenues of transportation are not being watched, for when a package reaches here in over the "regulation quart" size, there's apt to be trouble for somebody. A few nights ago the police station got word that passengers with new suit cases were finding Navassa station, four miles up the river, a most attractive resort, especially for those arriving on late trains, and immediately after one of these arrivals one night, a squad of plainclothesmen were detailed to pass along the wharf and watch for the motor boat fleet which had been noticed to arrive from up the river about that hour. Curiously enough the motor boat arrived in good time, but the new suit cases had previously been emptied and the contents evidently been dropped in the bottom of the Cape Fear.

It was later learned that the "fleet captain" had seen from his quarter deck the dark forms of the officers on shore and quietly jettisoned the cargo just before reaching the wharf. And it is likewise reported that divers and drags were particularly active in that particular locality for several nights thereafter.

MR. J. A. ATKINSON DEAD

Father of Mrs. D. D. Benton and Ex-Mayor of Hamlet, N. C.

Many friends throughout this section of the Carolinas will hear with regret of the death of Mr. J. A. Atkinson, of Hamlet, which occurred at his home there at 6 o'clock Thursday morning after an illness of only a few days. His daughter, Mrs. D. D. Benton, of this city, was notified of her father's critical illness and left at once for Hamlet, reaching his bedside only a short time before his death.

Mr. Atkinson came to Hamlet from Cheraw, S. C., some 25 years ago and had resided there since. He served two terms as Mayor of the town and at the time of his death was filling an official position in the government. He was genial and kindly in his manner and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. At the time of his death he was 74 years of age, but was remarkably active. His death was due to typhoid pneumonia. He is survived by two daughters and one son—Mrs. Benton, of this city; Mrs. J. B. Moore, of Wadesboro, and Mr. A. K. Atkinson, of Hamlet. All have the sympathy of many friends in their sorrow.

RESCUE STATION HERE.

American Workers Open Headquarters Here at No. 413 Queen Street.

Adjutant and Mrs. W. Harman, of the American Rescue Workers, with National headquarters in Philadelphia, Pa., have arrived in the city and opened a Rescue Station at No. 413 Queen street, from which the work in this section will be directed in the future. Adjutant Harman says that the object of the work is to care for the orphans and to go into the slums of the city and visit the sick and care for the destitute people of Wilmington. He said that they desired the co-operation and sympathy of the good people of the city and a trial that their work may prove a blessing to the city. Those desiring to make any donations or why may have any old furniture, clothing or reading matter will kindly post a letter in the office to Adjutant W. Harman and these contributions will be thankfully received.

Rupture Expert Here

Seeley, Who Fitted Czar of Russia, Called to Wilmington.

F. H. Seeley of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert, will be at the Orton Hotel and will remain in Wilmington Saturday and Sunday only, Oct. 16th and 17th. Mr. Seeley says: "The Spermatic Shield as now used and approved by the United States Government will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, affording immediate and complete relief, but closes the opening in 10 days on the average case. This instrument received the only award in England and in Spain, producing results without surgery, harmful injections, medical treatments or prescriptions. Mr. Seeley has documents from the United States Government, Washington, D. C., for inspection. All charity cases without charge, or if any interested call he will be glad to show same without charge or fit them if desired. Business demands prevent stopping at any other place in this section. oc15-3t

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. Carolina Moffitt and daughter, Miss Maggie Moffitt, who have been visiting friends and relatives in the city, left on Wednesday, returning home.

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The B. Y. P. U. of the Wrightsboro Baptist church will meet tomorrow evening at 6:45 o'clock instead of 7:45 o'clock as has been the custom. The change is made in order that the regular preaching service may begin at 7:45. All members are urged to attend and visitors will be cordially greeted.

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Cards reading as follows have been received in the city:

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Cromartie
request the honor of your presence
at the marriage of their sister
Margaret Jane
to
Mr. Charles Wilson Robinson
Wednesday afternoon, October the
twenty-seventh
at four o'clock
South River Presbyterian Church
Garland, North Carolina.

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Washington, N. C., Oct. 15.—A very pretty home wedding took place in this city today at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Nicholson, when their youngest daughter, Miss Carlotta Nicholson, became the bride of Mr. Harold J. Washburn, of Ossing, N. Y. The ceremony was impressively performed by Rev. E. M. Snipes, of the Methodist church, at high noon, after which a buffet luncheon was served the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Washburn left in their motor car for a tour of New York and Canada, after which they will be at home in this city about December 1st.

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Yesterday's Raleigh Times: "Mrs. Edward Ashe, of Wilmington, who is visiting in the city at the home of her husband's parents, was the guest of honor at a delightful afternoon tea on Wednesday given by Miss Hannah Ashe and Miss Corneille Harris at the home of Capt. Ashe on Boylan avenue. Golden-rod and autumn leaves beautifully decorated the house for the occasion. In the receiving line were: Miss Hannah Ashe, Mrs. Edward Ashe, Miss Corneille Harris, Miss Catherine Mackay, and Mrs. Walter L. Parsons, of Rockingham. Misses Alicia Ashe and Hannah Flint met the guests on the porch and in the hall they were received by Misses Emmie Haywood, Frances Bowen and Mrs. Waddell. In the dining room dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Sam Ashe, Mrs. George Flint and Misses Julia Weat, Mildred Holding, Elizabeth Flint, Windham Ashe, Elizabeth Cross and Mary Hadley.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR OFFICERS ARE ELECTED

The Christian Endeavor Society held its annual business meeting last night which was followed by an enjoyable social session. Delicious refreshments were served and a number of musical selections were given. Officais for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Dr. George T. Patterson; first vice president, Mr. Leslie R. Hummell; second vice president, Miss Davis Duffy; recording secretary, Mr. E. M. Kennickell; corresponding secretary, Miss Mae S. Willson; treasurer, Miss Ann E. Love; assistant treasurer, Mr. Charles E. Hussey; superintendent of the Junior societies, Miss Nell Bowden.

CRIPPLE FORCES CHECK.

Willie Milliken, White Man, Alleged to Have Used Check Here.

The following from yesterday's issue of the Brunswick Eagle, published at Shallotte, N. C., will be read with interest locally:

"Willie Milliken, a cripple who was raised below here near the seashore, and a nephew of Capt. A. A. Milliken, of this place, is in hard luck once more for attempt at forgery.

"On Saturday of last week he deposited check for $400 in the Wilmington Savings & Trust Company, of Wilmington. Being unable to write his name he had the president of the bank, Mr. C. E. Taylor, to witness his signature which was made with "X," mark.

"He informed the Wilmington bank that he wished to transfer his funds from the Citizens' Bank, of this place, to their bank.

"He assumed the name of A. A. Milliken. He immediately began checking on his deposit, but the cashier, thinking that there might be something wrong, called Mr. Mallard, cashier of the Citizen's Bank here, over the telephone to know if the check was bonafide. When Mr. Mallard was told that Milliken was a cripple, he know that it was not Capt. A. A. Milliken, and informed the cashier that the check wsa fraudulent.

"Milliken has been a cripple all his life, but seems to have considerable tact for games of this kind, as he is reported to have been doing this same thing in other states."

TRUCKERS TO HAVE FLOAT

Organization Will Take Part in County Fair and Corn Show.

It was decided at the regular meeting of the Wilmington Truckers' Association at the court house Thursday night, that this organization should have a float in the approaching County Fair and Corn Show.

The committee appointed to provide for the float is composed of Messrs. J. Herbert Johnson, W. D. Rhodes and C. F. Seitter. Mr. William Gregerson, secretary of the association, was made an ex-officio member of the committee to assist in getting up the float. The truckers are expecting to make folks sit up and take notice.

Mr. and Mrs. Core Bereaved.

Eric, the one-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Core, now of Petersburg, Va., died Thursday night at their home in that city. The remains were brought to Wilmington yesterday, arriving in the city yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. The funeral services were conducted at the grave in Bellevue cemetery yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church. Mr. Core returned to Petersburg last night. He is employed at City Point, Va., at the Dupont Powder Works. He has many friends in Wilmington who will tenderly sympathize with him and his family in their bereavement.

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COURT CALENDAR ARRANGED

New Hanover Bar Association Met Yesterday Morning—Docket for Two Weeks' Term.

The calendar for the two week's term of Superior Court which will be convened next Monday morning was arranged at a meeting of the New Hanover bar association which met yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court. The meeting was presided over by E. S. Martin, Esq.

Following is the calendar as arranged yesterday:

Monday, October 25th—Consolidated Railway, Light & Power Co. vs Fidelity & Casualty Co.; T. J. Keenan vs Board of County Commissioners, et al.; T. O. Schodinger vs J. E. Woolvin; Hammer Lumber Company vs B. J. Sanderlin; Hummel Lumber Company vs Brunswick Wood & Coal So.; Wilmington Iron Works vs Coharie Lumber Company; Sam Blossom vs W. G. Baldwin; Anderson Stroud vs H. F. Schulken; Daniel Bryant vs C. S. Biley & Co.

Tuesday, October 26th—Arrie Holly vs Nonie F. King; James H. Brittain vs A. L. Railway; J. E. Wood, et. al., vs Cicero Dixon; Sarah C. White, administrator, vs A. C. L. Railroad, et. al.; Merchants' Cigar Company vs Crescent Cigar Company, et. al.; Northern Fruit Company vs Southern Railway and S. A. L. Railway; J. C. Holly vs Greensboro Life Insurance Company, et. al.

Wednesday, October 27th—P. Cumming vs Dr. M. L. Hargrove; Joseph Hansley vs John Moore, et. al.; Wilmington Railway Bridge Company vs Franco Ottoman Shipping Company, et. al.; A. C. L. Railroad vs Franco Ottoman Shipping Company, et. al.; S. A. L. Railway vs Franco Ottoman Shipping Company, et. al.; O. T. Simpkins vs D. N. Chadwick, Jr.; Sterchi-Bancroft Company vs Dolly Houston.

Thursday, October 28th—Southern National Bank vs Royal C. Remick; American National Bank vs Savannah Trust Company, et. al., and Scloss-Bear Davis Company; Union Seed & Fertilizer Co. vs Henry Daniels, et. al.; B. F. Keith Company vs S. A. L. Railway; Charity Albro vs W. J. Bellamy; J. G. Callihan vs S. A. L. Railway.

Friday, October 29th—Samuel Blossom vs Andrew Nixon; Atlantic Fruit Distributors vs Northern Fruit Company; Murchison National Bank vs Ind. Mfg. Co., et. al.; Louis Goodman, trustee, vs J. F. White; A. D. Kirby vs M. C. Barby & Co.; American Seating Company vs F. W. Peiffer; Louis T. Allan vs E. A. Chadwick.

Saturday, October 30th—Imperial Manufacturing Company vs Eureka Dye Works; Robert Gasden vs Geo. T. Crafts, et. al.; Ellington & Gerry, Inc., vs John J. Knox; Southern National Bank vs Knox Lumber Company; Apex Equipment Company vs G. T. Flynn, et. al.; Bernard Manufacturing Company vs J. Hicks Bunting Drug Company; R. E. Williams, assignee, vs Murchison National Bank.

Monday, November 1st—Haggerty Cook Company vs E. S. Waddell, et. al.; Hannah Best vs American National Bank; M. L. Horowitz vs Ellen Linley, et. al.; M. Friedland vs Ellen Linley, et. al.; Branch Saw Company vs Bryant Manufacturing Company; First National Bank of Mullins, S. C., vs Murchison National Bank.

Tuesday, November 2nd — James Books vs Kate Brooks; J. W. Glissom vs D. E. Matthews, guardian, et. ol.; Beatrice Hanson vs W. N. Harriss, collector of estate of Sam Merrick; Annie M. Thompson, et. al., vs H. M. Chase, et. al.; G. W. Anderson vs R. A. Wright Company; Acme Manufacturing Company vs J. E. Wilson, et. al.; W. T. Croom vs W. H. McEachern; M. H. Brimmer vs M. H. Brimmer Company.

Wednesday, November 3rd—E. L. Sleeper vs William Newkirk; Northern Fruit Company vs A. C. L. Railroad; L. M. Moore vs William Wrones; E. C. Ashe vs Fidelity Trust and Development Co.; Atlantic Fruit Distributors, inc., vs Winstead Produce Company; E. V. Mercer vs John R. Hanby; R. G. Russ vs Hyman Supply Company; W. H. Alderman vs G. W. Anderson; C. P. Potter vs Henry Taylor; C. D. Gilbert vs J. J. Hopkins, Son & Co.

Thursday, November 4th — J. F. Gause vs W. B. Moore and wife, Ethel S. Moore; Stephen Nelson vs Susan D. Lineker; T. L. Hubbard vs Fidelity Trust & Development Co.; A. B. Skelding vs Wrightsville Beach & Suburban Development Co.; Paul Pate vs Mary W. Pate; Southern National Bank vs Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.; Ethel Bowen, et. al., vs F. A. Montgomery, et. al.; Mary Jane Franks, et. al., vs City of Wilmington.

BEGIN FALL ACTIVITIES

Hebrew Aid Society Gave Enjoyable Smoker.

The Hebrew Aid Society has begun its fall activities and on Thursday evening gave an enjoyable smoker in the hall of the Young Men's Hebrew Association on North Front street. There was quite a large attendance and refreshments were served by May Brothers. The society has for its purpose the assisting of distressed Hebrews.

The officers of the organization are: President, Mr. H. Jaffe; vice president, Mr. L. Schwartz; secretary and treasurer, Mr. W. Kaminsky; executive committee, Messrs. H. B. Newworth and M. Goldberg.

REQUIRED TO PAY COSTS

Eighteen Persons Convicted of Violating Traffic Ordinances of City.

The Recorder yesterday ordered that 18 persons, charged with violation of the traffic ordinances, be taxed with the costs of the cases against them. These persons were arrested by the police during the past week.

B. T. Graves, the white man charged with securing money under false pretenses, was found not guilty. He was arrested Wednesday on an old warrant. Ed Moore, colored, was fined $5 and the costs on a charge of assaulting Lizzie Bass, also colored, by slapping her on the face.

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TO MAKE MEMORIAL ADDRESS

O. Max Gardner, Esq., of Shelby, Will Be Speaker at Elks' Lodge of Sorrow in December.

The address at the Wilmington Elks' Lodge of Sorrow in December this year will be made by O. Max Gardner, Esq., of Shelby, who was president pro tem of the Senate in the last General Assembly and who is a prominent candidate for Lieutenant Governor. The invitation to Mr. Gardner was extended by Exalted Ruler C. C. Loughlin, Esq., of the Wilmington Lodge of Elks.

Mr. Gardner is a young lawyer who has achieved considerable success in his profession. He is a graduate of both the University and the A. & M. College, Raleigh, and took a prominent part in athletics in his student days.

The memorial committee to make preparations for the Lodge of Sorrow is coposed of Messrs. H. E. Longley, Joseph F. Leitner, H. Gilbert Dill, Wiley S. Register, Louis Goodman and James Owen Reilly.

Ushers have been appointed as follows: Messrs. George B. Applewhite, Richard D. Clowe, R. J. Benton, Carl J. Fick, A. A. Keels, Charles A. Lord, Edward J. Schadt and Percy S. Vaughn.

Messrs. I. W. Coleman, T. E. Wallace and Joseph F. Leitner have been appointed as a committee to draft suitable resolutions in memory of the deceased members of the order. Three members of the lodge have passed away during the past year, these being Dr. Morris M. Caldwell, Dr. Charles T. Harper and Dr. J. H. Bornemann.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Mr. C. S. Grainger, Jr., director of Grainger's Orchestra, has taken the position of violinist and musical director at the Academy of Music.

—Probable cause was found yesterday by Justice Bornemann in a case against Mary Clemens, colored, who is charged with perjury, and she was placed under a bond of $100 for her appearance at the next term of Superior Court.

—It was stated in error yesterday that suit had been started in the Superior Court by Jesse G. Hooper, administrator, against the estate of the late Dr. C. T. Harper. The proceeds in question was merely an order to transfer certain stock belonging to the estate to Mrs. Jessie G. Harper, there being no suit.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Solicitor Homer Lyon, of Whiteville, was a guest at the Orton yesterday.

—Mr. T. D. McLean, of Aberdeen, was among the guests at the Orton yesterday.

—Mr. J. H. Price, of Greensboro, spent yesterday in the city, a guest at the Orton.

—Mrs. J. O. Hall, of Charlotte, was among the arrivals at the Orton yesterday.

—Mr. W. B. Robertson, of Council's, was a visitor in the city yesterday, a guest at the Orton.

—Mr. Morrison Formyduvall, of Whiteville, spent yesterday in the city, a guest at the Orton.

—Mr. J. C. Anderson has returned to the city after spending a week in New York, Baltimore and Philadelphia.

—E. F. McCulloch, Esq., of Elizabethtown, was in the city on professional business yesterday, a guest at the Orton.

CARS TO SHOW GROUNDS

Tidewater Power Company Announces Special Schedule.

Arrangements have been made by the Tidewater Power Company for increased car service tomorrow and Monday to handle the expected large travel to the circus grounds. All of the available suburban and city cars will be used to provide this extra service.

Tomorrow the company will operate a special 10-minute service between Front and Princess streets, and the Circus grounds, this special service to begin as soon as the show arrives at the grounds, and to continue as long as there is any demand for it.

Also a special service will be operated from Fourth and Red Cross to the circus grounds via Tenth street. This car will be operated on a half-hour schedule and will provide a direct service to the grounds without change of cars to those taking the cars at that point. This special Red Cross street service will be operated tomorrow as well as Monday.

On Monday a 10-minute service will be operated from Front and Princess to the show grounds, beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning and continuing throughout the day. Also on Monday a special car will be run between Front and Castle and Ninth and Princess streets via Castle street, this car connecting with the cars at Ninth and Princess streets.

Trains of three suburban cars each will be used to provide the special service on Princess street, these trains leaving Front and Princess streets every 10 minutes for the show grounds. These trains will doublehead with the Carolina cars which on Monday will run to Seventeenth and Castle instead of the end of the line in Carolina Place. A transfer car will be used to provide service between the main line at Seventeenth street and the end of the Carolina Place line.

TWO GOOD GAMES

Of Basketball at the Boys' Brigade Last Night—Large Attendance.

There was a large audience at the Boys' Brigade to witness the two splendid games of basketball between the Seminoles and the Braves and the Reds and the Dodgers. The members of the competing teams had on for the first time their new uniforms and made a fine showing on the floor.

The Seminoles won from the Braves by a score of 23 to 11. Smith for the Seminoles played fine ball, scoring five goals. The Braves were handicapped by having four of their team out of the game. The Reds won from the Dodgers by a score of 24 to 15. Fick for the Reds played well, scoring five goals and one foul goal.

The Reds have won two games of the series while the Dodgers and the Seminoles have won one each and lost one each. The Braves have lost the two games they have played.

Visitors From Brunswick.

The Shallotte Eagle announces that the W. B. & S. railroad will run a special train to Wilmington next Monday for the benefit of those from Brunswick who desire to attend the Hagenbeck-Wallace shows in this city. The train will leave Southport with extra coaches at 7 a. m., Monday and returning, will leave Wilmington at 7 p. m., giving all an opportunity of witnessing the entire afternoon performance.

HANSON IS THROWN TWICE

Local Wrestling Favorite Downed by Kaiser But Claims That Strangle Hold Was Used.

One of the prettiest wrestling matches ever seen in this city came to a somewhat abrupt and uncertain ending last night at Woolvin Hall when Referee William Tomz refused to allow Charles Kaiser, of New York, the third and deciding fall over Fritz Hanson, of this city, on the ground that the visiting wrestler used the strangle hold, barred by agreement. Kaiser refused to accept the referee's decision and declined to wrestle for another fall, and the fans filed out considerably dissatisfied with the ending of what otherwise would have been almost an ideal match.

Hanson won the first fall in 52 minutes, using his favorite hold, the head scissors and hammer lock. After a ten minute intermission, Kaiser threw Hanson after 15 minutes of wrestling, using the double bar lock.

When the men entered the ring for the third and deciding fall, both were apparently in good condition and for some minutes they sparred for an opening. It was in their attempt to secure a hold, while yet on their feet, that Hanson called the referee's attention to what he claimed was a strangle hold on Kaiser's part. While Hanson was talking to the referee Kaiser secured a hold and almost pinned the local man's shoulders to the mat. Hanson, however, broke the hold and the two men went back on their feet in the middle of the mat. For several minutes more they worked for a hold, and again Hanson complained that Kaiser was using a strangle hold. The men separated and Hanson again walked over to Referee Tomz slapped Kaiser on the back, but was using the strangle. Again, while he was talking to the referee, Kiser dived for his leg, brought him to the mat and after a few seconds struggle, pinned his shoulders down. Referee Tomz slapped Kiser on the back, but as soon as he arose, stated that he would not allow the fall because Kiser had used the strangle hold.

Kaiser, however, claimed that in slapping him on the back the referee had officially awarded him the fall, and he refused to wrestle for another fall, standing on the ground that the referee had no power to change his decision.

This was the second match between the two men, they having met her Friday of last week, when Kaiser won, two out of three falls, using the tone hold each time. This time, by mutual agreement, the toe hold and strangle hold were barred, and the match, up to its abrupt ending, afforded an exhibition of some of the prettiest mat science ever seen here.

Kaiser weighed in last night night at 165, while Hanson's weight was 154. Kaiser won the admiration of the local fans by his clean work and sportsmanlike conduct, but many were displeased over his part in the third fall last night. On the other hand, many blamed Hanson for stopping to talk to the referee and being caught off his guard.

Quite a large crowd saw the match last night, including a number of ladies.

FIRE PREVENTION DAY OBSERVED BY CHILDREN

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from these slow-growing forests, houses which have been built at great cost of time, labor and money, and treasure and heirlooms which can never be replaced. Besides this loss of property, there is also a great loss of life which is too appalling to consider in this little talk.

"If you stop to think of it, there are not so very many diffirent things that will start fires. Matches, kerosene, gas, gasoline, hot sparks, burning tobacco, fires in stoves, furnaces and fireplaces, hot ashes, lightning and fires which start themselves by "spontaneous combustion," are the common causes of our losses; but there are hundreds, almost thousands, of different ways in which fires are set with these few materials.

Homes.

"A person fears fire in his home more than he does in his office, for two reasons. First, because all he holds most precious is in his home. A fire means danger to his family and homelessness until a new place can be found. Second, his responsibility for the safety of his home is undivided. He alone is responsible for the preservation of his home. He cannot feel that someone else should take care of these things. The home is the unit of social life. Its destruction has a more far-reaching influence than the mere loss of furniture, etc. A man really owes it to society, as well as to his family, to see that no precautions are omitted in the protection of his home against fire. The causes of fire in dwellings are more clearly determined than in other buildings, and the problem of their prevention is simpler. The points outlined in the following paragraphs are all so inexpensive and unquestionable that there can be no excuse for their being neglected.

Matches.

"Matches are one of the most useful things in the house, and also one of the most dangerous. They should be kept in a covered dish, out of the reach of children, and they should never be left lying around loose. The parlor match is especially dangerous, as the head often flies off into curtains or clothing. After a match is once lighted, it should never be thrown down carelessly. Put the stick that is left in the stove or in a match receiver. Never throw it in a basket of waste paper or on the floor. Even if it is thrown on the ground it might set fire to dry grass or leaves. You start a fire when you light a match. See that you put it out.

"Defective flues and chimneys cause many, many fires. Be sure to see that these are constructed in accordance with the laws of our State, as flues and chimneys built otherwise are generally defective and fires are well-started before they are discovered; hence considerable damage invariably results from fires from defective flues and chimneys.

Ashes.

"Inflammable material should never be left near a stove or furnace. The practice of keeping waste paper near a kitchin stove is dangerous. Burning grease or fats may ignite on the top of the stove and communicate to the paper. Before the fires are left at night, everything inflammable should be cleaned up. Careless handling of hot ashes is responsible for many bad blazes. Ashes should invariably be kept in metal barrels or cans. The wooden boxes and barrels ought to be tabooed in every house.

Gasoline.

"Gasoline is sometimes used in the house for cleaning clothing, curtains, gloves, etc. There is no material in the world so dangerous to handle, except possibly dynamite. Gasoline gives off a large volume of vapor which is both inflammable and explosive. For this reason it should never be used in a room where there is a fire in the stove. The only safe way to use gasoline is out of doors, and even then the greatest caution should be taken. Keep the doors and windows closed so that none of the vapor can get into the house, and be very careful not to let anyone come near you with a lighted cigar or pipe. Throw the waste gasoline on the ground; never pour it in the sink or down a waste pipe. Familiarity with this dangerous material has brought contempt where there should be caution.

What to Do in Case of Fire.

"In case of fire it is necessary above all things to 'keep cool.' Call the fire department and then try not to get excited, and so waste precious moments in running about to no purpose. Act quickly, but keep your mind on what you are doing. If it is only a little blaze, throw water on the thing that is burning, try to smother the flames with a heavy rug or beat them out with a wet broom. If oil is burning, never pour on water as this only spreads the oil and mekes matters worse. For an oil fire use sand, earth from flower pots, or big panfulls of flour. If you leave the house to summon help, be sure to close the door. Fresh air makes the flames burn faster and spread more rapidly. If the fire is in one room, try to keep it there by closing the doors and windows. If it is in the closet, shut the door until you can get help."

JUDGMENT AGAINST THE DEFENDANT FOR USURY

Justice Harriss Issues Rule for Mr. T. A. White on Contempt Charge.

Justice Harriss yesterday afternoon gave judgment against the defendant for $102 in a civil court brought by Giles Johnson, colored, against Gray & Co., alleging that usurious interest had been charged him on a loan. Johnson alleged in his complaint that he had borrowed $8 18 months ago, and that he had been paying interest monthly since that time and that it had amounted to more than $50 and he still owed the principal. Judgment was given for twice the amount said to have been paid out for interest as provided for in the statutes when usury is found to have been practiced.

Mr. T. A. White, manager for Gray & Co., was the chief witness for the defendant. A rule was ordered to be served on Mr. White, by Justice Harriss for his appearance next Monday afternoon to show cause why he should not be adjudged in contempt of court for failure to produce certain books as ordered by the court. Mr. White stated that the firm had no books but evidence from some of the witnesses in the case tended to show that books had been kept.

FUNERAL OF MR. MILLAN

Young Man, Who Died at Home in Waycross, Ga., Buried Here.

The funeral of Mr. Ralph L. Millan, the 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Millan, whose death occurred at the home of his parents in Waycross Ga., was held yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. The remains arrived here yesterday afternoon from Waycross. The interment was in Bellevue cemetery.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Augustus and Talmadge Land, Kelly Smith and Frank King.

Appointed Assistant Marshal.

Mr. J. H. Hinton has been appointed as an assistant marshal for the State Fair from Wilmington by President L. E. Hall, of the Chamber of Commerce, in addition to those appointed by him a few days ago at the request of the Chief Marshal.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON MAKES SLIGHT GAIN

Sharp Early Advance Caused by Damaging Crop and Weather Reports. Spot Quotation 12.45.

New York, Oct. 15.—Bullish crop and weather reports caused a sharp early advance in the cotton market today, but the demand became less active around 12.87 for January contracts and prices later eased off under realizing or selling for a reaction, with the general list closing steady at a net gain of 7 to 11 points for the day.

The market opened steady at a decline of one point on December but generally 5 to 9 points higher and showed considerable strength during the early trading. Prospects that the heavy rains in the western belt would be followed by another cold spell appeared to be bringing fresh buyers into the market. The report of a local crop authority, estimating that 52 per cent of the crop had been ginned to October 9, this year, compared with a ten-year average of 47 per cent to October 18th, and that 60 per cent had been picked, doubtless contributed to the buying movement, while bullish sentiment was also encouraged by reports that many Southern farmers were planning to hold cotton for 15 cents. Buying tapered off, on the advance, however, and subsequent fluctuations were more or less irregular with prices sagging off under realising, while the failure of the unfavorable crop news to inspire a more active or general demand, seemed to create rather a more reactionary sentiment. Closing prices showed reactions of 10 or 13 points from the high level of the morning. Wall Street and Southern houses were among the buyers on the early advance, and there was very little talk of hedge selling during the day. Exports today were 18,804 bales, making 938,638 so far this season. Port receipts 38,994; United States port stocks 1,152,787.

Futures closed steady:

	Open	High	Low	Close
October	12.24	12.45	12.24	12.33
December	12.50	12.70	12.50	12.59
January	12.67	12.87	12.67	12.77
March	12.95	13.12	12.95	13.00
May	13.11	13.25	13.11	13.13

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 12.45; sales 133 bales.

PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling 12;; receipts 7,822; sales 2,325; stock 186,248.

Galveston—Middling 12.25; receipts 8,100; sales 543; stock 280,124.

Mobile—Middling 12.12; receipts 182; sales 50; stock 15,872.

Savannah—Middling 12.13; receipts 6,363; exports 6,215; sales 976; stock 179,712.

Charleston—Middling 12; receipts 2,-388; stock 85,593.

Wilmington—Receipts 1,206; exports 12,679; stock 36,580.

Norfolk—Middling 12.06; receipts 3,-187; sales 1,907; stock 45,416.

Baltimore—Receipts 901; stock 5,897.

Boston—Middling 12.40; receipts 126; stock 4,423.

Philadelphia—Middling 12.70; stock 1,018.

New York—Middling 12.45; receipts 28; sales 133; stock 279,164.

Minor Ports—Receipts 3,250; stock 24,908.

Total today—Receipts 33,553; exports 18,804; stock 1,154,455.

Total for week—Receipts 265,255; exports 163,200.

Total for season—Receipts 1,604,475; exports 944,644.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling 12.15; receipts 18,-993; shipments 15,932; sales 4,116; stock 151,165.

Memphis—Middling 12.25; receipts 7,-087; shipments 4,549; sales 2,400; stock 104,331.

Augusta—Middling 12.13; receipts 2,-521; shipments 1,990; sales 947; stock 140,226.

St. Louis—Middling 12.38; receipts 1,-634; shipments 1,674; stock 6,332.

Cincinnati—Receipts 2,219; shipments 2,002; stock 11,499.

Little Rock—Middling 12.50; receipts 866; shipments 514; sales 514; stock 12,-536.

Dallas—Middling 11.95.

Total today—Receipts 33,320; shipments 26,661; stock 426,389.

HESTER'S WEEKLY STATEMENT.

Comparisons are to actual dates, not to close of corresponding weeks. In thousands bales.

In sight for week, 441.

In sight same seven days last year, 402.

In sight for month, 953.

In sight same date last year, 794.

In sight for season, 2,535.

In sight same date last year, 1,600.

Port receipts for season, 1,604.

Port receipts same date last year, 804.

Overland to mills and Canada for season, 87.

Overland same date last year, 53.

Southern mill takings for season, 541.

Southern mill takings same date last year, 318.

Interior stocks in excess of August 1st, 303.

Interior stocks last year, 425.

Foreign exports for week, 162.

Foreign exports same seven days last year, 61.

Foreign exports for season, 945.

Foreign exports same date last year, 231.

Northern spinners' takings and Canada for week, 73.

Northern spinners' takings same seven days last year, 59.

Northern spinners' takings for season, 309.

Northern spinners' takings to same date last year, 280.

Statement of World's Visible Supply.

Total visible this week, 4,615.

Total visible last week, 4,473.

Total visible same date last year, 3,-268.

Of this the total American this week, 3,473.

Total American last week, 3,313.

Total American last year, 2,096.

All other kinds this week, 1,141.

All other kinds last week, 1,160.

All other kinds last year, 1,171.

Visible in the United States this week, 1,896.

Visible in the United States this date last year, 1,026.

Visible in other countries this week, 2,719.

Visible in other countries this date last year, 2,241.

WEEKLY REVIEW OF COTTON

Sharp Advance in Early Part of Week Later Declined Under Reaction —Market Less Active.

New York, Oct. 15.—The appearance of light to heavy frosts over the northern half of the cotton belt with killing temperatures at a number of points was followed by a sharp advance in the cotton market early this week. Many who had taken profits on long cotton seemed to be replacing their contracts and on Wednesday January sold up to 13.08 or practically $3.00 per bale above the low point reached on the recent reaction and within 12 points of the previous high record. Realising became more active, however, and sentiment was temporarily unsettled by reports that the Cotton Futures Act had been pronounced unconstitutional in the district court. While nervousness in this respect was quickly removed by a statement from the board of managers of the cotton exchange that no change was contemplated in the by-laws or trading rules, the market has since been less active with fluctuations irregular.

Southern advices have remained generally bullish and there was a sharp rally in the market early today on prospects that further heavy rains in the western belt were to be followed by another cold spell but crop estimates had already been scaled down to such small figures that these later reports failed to materially stimulate demand. Private cables from Bombay say latest estimates of the Indian crop range around four million bales comparing with five million last year, and unfavorable reports from the Egyptian crop are supposed to be partly responsible for the strength of Sea Island and Long Stapled cotton in the domestic market.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. Matilda Weems, Capt. Hall, Georgetown, Baltimore-Carolina Steamship Co.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 3,289 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

Str. Tuddal (Nor.), 2,218 tons, Gabrielson, Alexander Sprunt & Sons.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 15.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady 39.

ROSIN—$3.30 to $3.20.

TAR—$1.60-8c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.00, $3.00, $2.00.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 45. Rosin, $3.40. Tar, $2.25-10c. Crude turpentine, firm, $3.25, $3.25, $2.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	2
Rosin	87
Tar	20
Crude Turpentine	13

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine (—) casks; rosin, 102 barrels; tar, (—) barrels; crude turpentine (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 11¾. Quotations, same day last year, 6½.

Receipts—938 bales; same day last year, 773 bales.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date, 72,009 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 19,389 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 15, 1915.

Atlantic Coast Line—733 bales cotton; 80 barrels rosin; 1 barrel taar.

Seaboard Air Line—155 bales cotton.

Str. Whitlock—12 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Annie B.—1 barrel tar; 1 barrel crude turpentine.

Str. Thelma—2 casks spirits turpentine; 7 barrels rosin; 18 barrels tar.

Total—933 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 87 barrels rosin; 20 barrels tar; 13 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Oct. 15.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, weaker. Fancy hand picked, 65c.; No. 1, machine picked, 60c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts — Unsettled. Jumbos, 66c.; fancy hand-picked, 55c.; No. 1, machine picked, 50c. per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts — Weaker. No. 1, small, machine picked, 75c.; Jumbos, 65c. per bushel.

All receipts, light.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Oct. 15.—Spanish: Farmer's Stock—Market firmer. First quality, 75c to 80c per bu.; off grade, 30c to 40c per bu.

Virginias — Farmers' Stock — Market quiet. Fancy Jumbo, 3¼c. per lb.; fancy hand-picked, 3c. per lb.; extra prime, 2¾c per bu.; shelling stock, 2c to 2½c per lb.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Oct. 15.)

CORN—$2.20 per sack.

IRISH POTATOES—50c.

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, 60c. to 65c. per bushel.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7@9c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 10@11c. per pound.

SHEEP—Gross: Old sheep, 3@4c.; lambs, 3@5c. lb.

WOOL—Burry, 19 to 28c.; black wool, 17 to 20c; first class white wool, 27c.; free, 27c.

HIDES—Green salt, 12@13c.; dry flint, 17@20c. per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 20c.; sides and shoulders, 16c. per lb. Good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.; good demand.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 40@45c.; spring, 15@35c. per head; good demand. Turkeys, out of season.

EGGS—24c to 25c.

SALES OF STOCKS FALL OFF

Dealings Far Below the Million Shares Mark—Some War Shares Gain —Rails Close Heavily.

New York, Oct. 15.—Perhaps the most significant feature of today's trading was the fact that dealings fell far below the million share mark. It was the first full session in three weeks in which the output failed to attain to seven figures.

There were further indications of an abatement of public interest. Evidently, the warnings recently emanating from responsible quarters which pointed to the danger arising from a continuance of the speculative mania bearing fruit. Latest developments in the European war, including the possible abandonment of the Dardanelles campaign by the Allies, also acted as a check.

Opening prices disclosed considerable irregularity, with a preponderance of declines. These were neutralized in a measure by gains in some of the war shares, including Bethlehem Steel, which opened at a lower level, but ascended eight points from yesterday's close to the new high record of 475 before midday, later touching 477.

Westinghouse, American Smelting and American Can comprised the few elements of actual strength. United States Steel showing further pressure. Some of the rails were firm for a time, notably Canadian Pacific, the Anthracites, Union Pacific and Erie, but St. Paul, Chicago, Northwestern, New Haven, Illinois Central and Chesapeake & Ohio were variably lower.

As usual, the selling movement gathered force in the later dealings.

The closing was heavy with an abrupt decline in Rock Island. South Porto Rica Sugar, with a further gain of 19 points to 150 was among the few outstanding issues of the day.

Bonds were firm at the outset, but eased off later, a feature being several small sales of Anglo-French notes at 97 7-8, a fraction under the subscription price. Total sales par value were $3,848,000. Government bonds were unchanged on call.

New York Stock List.

Allis Chalmers	42¾
American Beet Sugar	67
American Can	64
American Car & Foundry	84
American Cities pfd	46
American Cotton Oil	58¾
American Locomotive	66¾
American Smelting	93½
American Sugar	112½
American Tel. & Tel.	130
Anaconda Copper	75
Atchison	106¼
Atlantic Coast Line	109
Baldwin Locomotive	123¼
Baltimore & Ohio	91⅝
Bethlehem Steel	477
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	87⅝
Canadian Pacific	164
Central Leather	53
Chesapeake & Ohio	56⅝
Chicago, Mil & St. Paul	90½
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry.	20¼
Consolidated Gas	146¾
Crucible Steel	91½
Erie	34¼
General Electric	179
General oMtors	320
Great Northern pfd	121
Illinois Central	107
Interborough Consol. Corp.	23¼
Kansas City Southern	27¾
Lehigh Valley	75
Louisville & Nashville	128
Liggett & Myers	235
Lorillard Co.	170⅞
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd	15⅞
Mexican Petroleum	91⅝
National Lead	66¾
New York Central	99¾
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	82⅝
Norfolk & Western	115½
Northern Pacific	110¾
Pennsylvania	57⅝
Reading	77¾
Rep. Iron & Steel	53¼
Rep. Iron & Steel pfd	104
Seaboard Air Line	17
Seaboard Air Line pfd	37¼
Sloss Shef Steel & Iron	59¼
Studebaker Corporation	159¾
Southern Pacific	96⅝
Southern Railway	20⅛
Southern Railway pfd	59
Tennessee Copper	66½
Texas Co.	167
Texas & Pacific	12⅞
Union Pacific	134⅝
United States Rubber	53¾
United States Steel	82⅝
United States Steel pfd	114
Utah Copper	70
Virgina Caro. Chem.	43¾
Western Union	78
Westinghouse Electric	69
Great Northern Ore	48¼

WHEAT VALUES ADVANCE.

Upon Better Outlook for Exports to Great Britain and France.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—Suggestions that Great Britain and France would abandon the attempt to open the Dardanelles, resulted today in a quick advance in wheat values here. The market closed unsettled, but 1⅜ to 1¾ net higher with December at 1.08 and May at 1.08¾. Corn gained ⅝ to 1⅜, and oats 1⅛ to 1⅜. Provisions finished 17½ to 70c lower.

Grain and provisions:

Wheat	Dec. 1.08		Mch. 1.08¾	
Corn	Dec.	59½	May	60¾
Oats	Dec.	39½	May	39⅞
Pork	Dec. 15.00		Jan. 17.30	
Lard	Nov. 9.45		Jan. 9.42	
Ribs	Jan. 9.42			

Cash grain—Wheat No. 2 red 1.20; No. 3 red 1.14 to 1.16; No. 2 hard nominal; No. 3 hard 1.10 to 1.14.

Corn—No. 2 yellow 66¼ to 66½; No. 4 yellow 66.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Oct. 15.—Spot cotton easier; good middling 7.55; middling 7.23; low middling 6.75. Sales 16,000; for speculation and export 3,000; receipts 19,000.

Futures very steady. October 7.15; October and November 7.15; November and December 7.15; December and January 7.15; January and February 7.15½; February and March 7.17; March and April 7.18; April and May 7-19½; May and June 7.20½; June and July 7.18; July and August 7.16; August and September 7.02; September and October 6.84; October and November 6.79.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, Oct. 15.—Raw sugar firm; centrifugal 4.20; molasses 3.43; refined steady.

Butter—Weak.

Cheese—Firm.

Coffee—Rio No. 7, 7c; futures steady.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

October 16, 1915.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 69 degrees; at 8 P. M., 72 degrees; maximum, 81 degrees; minimum, 68 degrees; mean 74 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .66 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, .92 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday 4.4 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Fair Saturday and Sunday.

The Port Calendar, Oct. 16, 1915.

Sun rises	6:18 A. M.
Sun sets	5:37 P. M.
Day's length	11 hrs. 19 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	3:50	4:40	11:13	11:55
Southport	1:43	2:28	8:46	8:53
Masonboro Inlet	1:32	2:14	8:26	8:33

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

October 15, 1915.

STATIONS:	Temperature: Weather at 8 P. M.	Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 p.m.
Abilene	clear	84	66	.0
Asheville	pt cldy	78	56	.0
Atlanta	clear	80	64	.02
Augusta	pt cldy	86	66	.0
Birmingham	cldy	84	66	.04
Boston	cldy	68	64	.70
Charleston	clear	82	68	.0
Charlotte	clear	82	66	.0
Chicago	clear	56	50	.0
Galveston	clear	80	74	.0
Jaxville	clear	78	72	.0
Memphis	clear	78	62	.0
Mobile	pt cldy	84	74	.06
Montgomery	cldy	86	66	1.12
N. Orleans	clear	86	70	.0
New York	cldy	76	64	.02
Oklahoma	rain	72	56	.18
Palestine	pt cldy	84	68	.0
Pittsburg	clear	70	60	.04
Raleigh	clear	82	66	.0
Savannah	clear	82	66	.01
Shreveport	clear	84	62	.0
St. Louis	clear	72	52	.0
Wash'gton	pt cldy	80	64	.0

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 15.—Cotton seed oil sold down some 38 to 42 points early under heavy liquidation, which caught stop orders but later supporting orders from the South resulted in a recovery of 20 to 30 points and final prices showed a net loss of 11 to 15 points for active positions. Total sales 41,900 barrels.

The market closed firm: Spot 7.70 to 7.90; October 7.80 to 7.90; November 7.75 to 7.95; December 7.82 to 7.95; January 7.96 to 7.97; February 8.00 to 8.05; March 8.07 to 8.08; April 8.13 to 8.15; May 8.18 to 8.20.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—Hogs, firm; bulk 8.25 to 8.85; light 8.00 to 8.90; mixed 8.05 to 8.92½; heavy 7.95 to 8.90; rough 7.95 to 8.15; pigs 5.25 to 7.75.

Cattle—Slow; native beef steers 6.00 to 10.40; western 6.60 to 8.65; cows and heifers 2.80 to 8.25; calves 7.75 to 11.75.

Sheep—Strong; wethers 6.25 to 7.00; ewes 4.10 to 6.40; lambs 6.90 to 9.05.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, Oct. 15.—Turpentine firm, 41 to 41¼; sales 103; receipts 238; shipments 153; stock 10,892.

Rosin—Firm; sales 1,528; receipts 962; shipments 100; stock 59,875. Quote: A B C D E F, 3.75; G, 3.77½; H, 3.80; I, 3.85; K, 4.05; M, 5.00; N, 5.50; WG, 6.20; WW, 6.40.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 15.—Mercantile paper 3 to 2½; Sterling 60 day bills 4.6425; demand 4.6825; cables 4.6885. Bar silver 49⅝. Mexican dollars 38¼. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds strong. Time loans dull; 60 days 2½ to 2¾; 90 days 2¾ to 3; six months 3 per cent. Call money firmer; high 2; low 2; ruling rate 2 per cent.

NEW YORK DRY GOODS.

New York, Oct. 15.—Cotton goods were advanced in finished lines today while gray goods were more quiet. Ribbons advanced. Wool markets much firmer. Ready-to-wear trade moderately busy.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

Market Closed at Net Advance of 6 to 10 Points—Spot 12 Cents.

New Orleans, Oct. 15.—Cotton had a steady undertone on the local market today and stood at a net advance throughout the session, but prices were held down by continual liquidation of the long account. The news of the day was bullish and sentiment in favor of the market increased. In the early trading prices were 11 to 13 points up on unsatisfactory weather over the belt. Poor cables did not hold the market down. A private report that the crop was 60 per cent. gathered widened the advance of 19 to 21 points about noon. Afternoon unloading of long cotton was in evidence and the market sagged.

The volume of business was large. The best support appeared to come from outside traders.

Futures closed steady at an advance of 6 to 10 points. Closing October 12.29, December 12.49, January 12.66, March 12.90, May 13.06.

Spot cotton quiet; unchanged. Middling 12 cents, sales 325, to arrive 2,000.

DUN'S BUSINESS REVIEW

Business Tide Rising and Period of Widespread Activity in Prospect.

New York, Oct. 15.—Dun's Review tomorrow will say:

"With cross currents diminishing in force the tide of business is rising at an accelerated pace and an era of widespread activity is in prospect. Usually during a transition period gains are recorded slowly, but strictly mercantile conditions have passed the stage where progress is difficult of discernment, and of late, industrial expansion has been phenominally rapid.

"Reports from nearly all sections of the country tell of the unchecked growth of new enterprise which, while manifest in varying degrees in different lines and localities, is everywhere stimulated by the exceptional strength of the fundamental situation.

"Assurances of agricultural success together with almost unlimited financial resources has given the commercial world the confidence essential to the development of national prosperity, and the notable improvement in sentiment and change of spirit, is now more clearly reflected in the volume of current transactions. The latter, with few exceptions are steadily enlarging, as is evidenced by the comparisons of bank clearings, railroad earnings, commodity prices, unfilled steel tonnage, idle freight cars and other statistical barometers.

"Weekly bank clearings, $3,524,483,-219."

UNIVERSITY FACULTY MEMBERS AVAILABLE FOR LECTURES

Ready to Speak Anywhere in State for Actual Expenses.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., Oct. 15.—"The members of the faculty of the University, working through the bureau of extension, will this year continue to give lectures throughout the State, whenever their services are asked." This announcement recently appeared in the official paper of the university—the Tar Heel. Last year the bureau of extension offered this opportunity to the schools and organizations of the State, and received excellent results.

As the only charge for these lectures is the amount of the expenses of the speaker, and as many professors have volunteered to speak on almost infinitely varied subjects, it is probable that a great many societies and schools will see and take advantage of this offer.

These lectures are divided into three general classes. The first class is that of lectures of public interest, on general subjects. The second division is that of lectures on specific subjects for clubs. The third section of addresses are for special occasions or festival meetings.

GAS PLANT TO BE SOLD.

Business at Washington, N. C., Has Not Been Paying.

Washington, N. C., Oct. 15.—Formal notice has been given that the local gas plant will be sold at the court house door in this city on November 12th. The sale is due to the default of payment for about two years' interest on the bonds, and the whole principal debt having matured and become payable. The mortgage is held by the Title Guaranty & Trust Co., of Scranton, Pa., and the sale will include a tract of land, together with the gas plant, all equipment, and the rights and franchises from the city to operate the plant.

We are selling a good quality of kid gloves for $1.00. C. H. Fore & Co.
(Advertisement.)

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"The Standard Railroad of the South."

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—from—

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FAYETTEVILLE, N. C. $3.25
On sale October 24 to 29, inclusive, limited returning Oct. 30. Tickets include admission to Fair.

GREENVILLE, S. C. $12.90
On sale Nov. 1 to 5, inclusive; limited returning Nov. 9.

For schedules, reservations and any further informaton, call 'phone 160, or apply to C. H. ACKER, Ticket Agent of the

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The Atlantic Coast Line operate the through sleeping cars between Wilmington and Atlanta. These cars are of all-steel construction and leave Wilmington daily at 3:45 P. M., arriving Atlanta at 6:10 the next morning, connection with through sleeping, observation and dining car trains for Chicago, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Kansas City and New Orleans. Passengers desiring to do so may remain in the sleepers, in the Union Depot, at Atlanta, until 7:00 A. M.

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PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION
San Francisco, California.
VERY LOW ROUND TRIP FARES VIA
SOUTHERN RAILWAY
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DATES OF SALE
March 1st to November 30th, 1915.

Final return limit will be three (3) months from date of sale, not to exceed December 31st, 1915.

Low round trip fares apply as follows:

Raleigh, N. C.	$87.95
Durham, N. C.	86.95
Burlington, N. C.	85.25
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Goldsboro, N. C.	90.20
Selma, N. C.	89.35

Fares from all other points on same basis.

Fares for tickets routed one way via Portland, Seattle or Victoria at higher rates.

Stop-overs will be permitted on both going and return trip at any point within limit of ticket.

The Southern Railway can give you choice of several scenic routes from which to select, going one way and returning another; also free side trips are included from several points. Through connections and good train service via Memphis, St. Louis, Chicago and New Orleans. Through Tourist car from Washington, D. C., to San Francisco, daily, via New Orleans and the Sunset Route.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective Sept. 13, 1915. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. 3:40 A.M. Monday morning only.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91. 1:15 A.M. Sunday morning (Saturday night) only.
No. 51. 5:25 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia, and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to recieve outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M. and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. 12:25 A.M. Daily.
No. 64. 5:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65. 6:15 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.
No. 48. 7:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.	No. 49. 6:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 38. 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52. 8:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 62. 3:25 P.M. Daily.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 82. 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Pullman Cars between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 59. 6:30 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. 10:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs., Sat. only.
No. 42. 6:45 P. M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. 9:50 A.M. Daily.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager. T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent. WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect October 11, 1915.

WINTER PARK, WRIGHTSVILLE WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS

EASTBOUND			WESTBOUND		
Leave Front and for Winter Park	Leave Front and for Wrights ville	Leave... Front and for Beach	Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrights-ville for Wilmington	Leave Beach for Wilmington
.....	.....	.....	a6:26 A. M.	a6:15 A. M.	.....
a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a7:36 A. M.	a7:25 A. M.	.....
6:55 A. M.	6:55 A. M.	b6:55 A. M.	8:01 A. M.	7:50 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
a8:00 A. M.	a8:00 A. M.	.....	a8:41 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.	.....
8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.	9:36 A. M.	9:25 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
.....	.....	.....	b10:31 A. M.	b10:20 A. M.	.....
10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	11:06 A. M.	10:55 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	12:36 P. M.	12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
b1:00 P. M.	b1:00 P. M.	b1:00 P. M.	b2:06 P. M.	b1:55 P. M.	b1:45 P. M.
a1:10 P. M.	a1:10 P. M.	ae1:10 P. M.	a2:01 P. M.	a1:50 P. M.	af1:45 P. M.
c1:55 P. M.	c1:55 P. M.	.....	c2:36 P. M.	c2:25 P. M.	.....
c d2:35 P.M.	.....	.....	c d3:06 P.M.	.....	.....
3:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.	c3:50 P. M.	.....	.....
3:30 P. M.	.....	.....	4:06 P. M.	3:55 P. M.	3:45 P. M.
c4:10 P. M.	.....	.....	c4:30 P. M.	.....	.....
4:30 P. M.	4:30 P. M.	4:30 P. M.	c5:10 P. M.	.....	.....
c4:50 P. M.	.....	.....	5:36 P. M.	5:25 P. M.	5:15 P. M.
5:30 P. M.	5:30 P. M.	.....	6:11 P. M.	6:00 P. M.	.....
6:10 P. M.	6:10 P. M.	.....	6:51 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	.....
6:40 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	e6:40 P. M.	7:31 P. M.	7:20 P. M.	f7:15 P. M.
7:15 P. M.	7:15 P. M.	.....	8:06 P. M.	7:55 P. M.	.....
8:15 P. M.	8:15 P. M.	.....	8:56 P. M.	8:45 P. M.	.....
9:15 P. M.	9:15 P. M.	9:15 P. M.	10:21 P. M.	10:10 P. M.	10:00 P. M.
10:15 P. M.	10:15 P. M.	.....	10:56 P. M.	10:45 P. M.	.....
11:15 P. M.	11:15 P. M.	11:15 P. M.	12:21 A. M.	12:10 A. M.	12:00 M.

SPECIAL FOR SUNDAYS.

Leave Front and Princess Streets every half hour from 2:00 to 5:00 P. M.
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f—Leaves from Station No. 3.

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(Daily Except Sunday)

Leave Ninth and Orange streets, 3:30 P. M.
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On sale October 16 to 23rd. Limited returning midnight, October 25th. Fare includes one admission to State Fair Grounds.

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For tickets Pullman reservations, or any information, call 'phone 178, or apply to Agent.

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$3.80

Excursion to Sanford

On Account of the

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The Atlantic Coast Line will sell excursion tickets from Wilmington to Sanford, N. C., at $3.80, for all trains on **OCTOBER 13, 14 AND 15.**

Limited returning to October 16th, 1915, and at proportionately low fares, on same dates and with same limit, from all itnermediate stations.

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CLYDE LINE

TO NEW YORK AND GEORGETOWN, S. C.

New York to Wilmington.
Steamship Jamestown, Friday, Oct. 15.
Steamship Cherokee, Friday, Oct. 22.
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COURT MARTIAL TRIAL FOR RETIRED ADMIRAL

Admiral Little Charged With Neglect and Carelessness

Secretary Daniels' Order Says Faulty Construction of "K" Class of Submarines Is Result of Improper Investigation.

Washington, October 15.—Secretary Daniels today ordered the trial by court martial of Rear Admiral William N. Little, retired, on charges while inspector of machinery at the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, Quincy, Mass., in connection with the construction of the submarine U. S. S. K-2.

The court will meet at the Boston Navy Yard October 18 and will be composed of Rear Admirals Fiske, Helm, Parks, Worthington, Gleaves and Dunn and Paymaster General Cowie, with Lieutenant-Commander A. W. Johnson as judge advocate.

"The action of the Department in this case," says a statement issued by Secretary Daniels, "in ordering the trial by general court martial of an officer who has been retired after having attained the highest naval rank on charges relating to duties performed prior to retirement, is somewhat radical and arrests attention. It can be accounted for only as an evidence of the Department's determination that the inspection of ships under construction for the navy shall be conducted with the greatest care and thoroughness."

The K-2 was accepted in January, 1914, and troubles with her storage batteries have developed since that time. Navy officials said today defective installation, rather than design had caused short circuiting. The boat was contracted for by the Electric Boat Company and constructed by the Fore River plant.

"The source of trouble in vessels of this class," the Secretary's statement continues, "has been the subject of close investigation by the Navy Department. As a result the Department has been led to believe that the inspection of the K-2 while building at the Fore River Shipbuilding Company was not conducted with sufficient care and thoroughness and accordingly has ordered Admiral Little, who was responsible for inspection of this vessel, to be tried by court martial."

Mr. Daniels said he had received a letter from Admiral Little saying he had been assured by the builders that any fault with the batteries of the K-2 which developed after her acceptance would be rectified by the company at its own expense and had recommended her acceptance on that basis.

ONE KILLED IN PISTOL BATTLE, SEQUEL TO CHARLESTON ELECTION

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really participating in the fight had not been known tonight.

When the shooting was heard by those in the crowd outside the building trouble was threatened there for a time. The extra force of police held the crowd in check while hurry call was sent to Sheriff Martin and a message sent to Governor Manning. The governor immediately ordered out the Washington infantry and the company was on the scene within an hour and a half after the first shot was fired. The governor then ordered that the entire second regiment be held ready.

The ballot boxes thrown from the windows were recovered and so far as known tonight, none of the boxes in the room was missing. It was said tonight the executive committee would count the ballots tomorrow and announce its decision.

SITUATION UNDER CONTROL

Governor Manning So Advised—Hopes for Speedy Settlement.

Columbia, S. C., Oct. 15.—Governor Manning at 11:30 o'clock tonight issued the following statement:

"I am advised by Colonel Blythe that the situation is under control and I hope for a speedy and peaceful settlement of the entire matter."

It is understood from an authoritative source that the Charleston Democratic executive committee will met tomorrow at 11 o'clock under military protection, acoerding to an agreement reached by both sides.

HAS RELATIVES HERE

Mr. Cohen Visited Wilmington Several Years Ago.

News of the killing of Mr. Sidney Jacobi Cohen, a member of the local staff of the Charleston Evening Post, while attending a meeting as a representative of his paper of the Democratic executive committee which had met to canvass the returns of the recent municipal election, was received here by private advices over the long distance phone yesterday afternoon.

Excitement ran high at the meeting, according to these advices, and some 15 or 20 shots were fired. Young Cohen was rushed to a hospital soon after he was shot but was soon dead.

He was 26 years old and the only son of Mr. W. B. Cohen, a member of the firm of Louis Cohen & Co., of Charleston. He was a cousin of Messrs. J. N. and Marcus W. Jacobi, of Wilmington. He visited friends in this city several years ago and his untimely death is deeply deplored by all who knew him.

He was an exceptionally fine young man of brilliant attainments in his chosen profession. He was a graduate of Charleston High School, the University of South Carolina and Harvard University. Because of his liking for newspaper work he had taken up this work rather than enter upon a business career.

MILITIA HELD READY

Eight Companies Awaiting Orders to Go to Charleston, if Necessary.

Columbia, S. C., Oct. 15.—Eight companies of the National Guard of South Carolina tonight was ordered held ready, but not under arms, to proceed to Charleston if necessary to aid Charleston companies in maintaining order there. The order for the militia was given late today by Governor Manning. The companies are four local companies and four in towns within short distances of Charleston.

FOREIGN CREDIT LOAN CONTRACT IS SIGNED

"Reading of Erlagh" Words That Bind Britain.

Homberg and Mallet Sign for France and J. P. Morgan Attaches Signature for Syndicate—Commissioners Sail Today.

New York, Oct. 15.—The $500,000,000 Anglo-French credit loan contract was signed late today. Three words, "Reading of Erlagh," from a pen in the hand of Lord Reading, chairman of the Anglo-French commission, bound the British empire to its terms. France was bound by the signatures of Octave Homberg and Ernest Mallet. J. P. Morgan affixed his name in behalf of the American syndicate of underwriters.

Immediately thereafter four witnesses attested the signatures, one of them being Basil B. Blackett, secretary of the commission. The other three were American lawyers who assisted in drawing up the document.

As many prominent bankers as could be crowded into the board room in the Morgan Banking House looked on. There was much enthusiasm but no cheering or applause, and congratulations were showered upon Mr. Morgan and the members of the commission. Lord Reading thanked the syndicate for their co-operation in accomplishing his task.

Having finished their labors here the commissioners will sail tomorrow for England aboard the steamer St. Louis. Within a couple of months, Lord Reading said, negotiations probably will be begun looking toward the creation of the supplemental loan already forecast. It is estimated that this loan will be approximately $250,000,000.

GARRISON'S PLAN IS FOR MILITARY FORCE IN TIME OF NEED OF 685,000 MEN

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pulsory at least 1,000 officers a year for each of the first two years. Eventually it is hoped that all military schools in the country can be standardized as to their courses in engineering and other military sciences.

The new army would be organized in convenient geographical divisions and on the theory that its members could be citizens of the districts in which their organizations were located. Regular places of mobilization and for storage of equipment for each company would be provided and every man of the force would know where to go and what he was expected to do when a call to arms came. While under training, the men of the continental army would receive the regular army pay.

PROBING CONDUCT OF ONE MAX LYNAR

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pitz, Germany. He gave his age as 42, his occupation as an army engineer, according to the application, and asserted that he was unmarried. The bride-elect gave her name as Miss Laile Florence Allendorf, 26 years old, a native of New York city, and whose father Leopold, was born in Sweden. The license was obtained August 29, 1911. The indictment of Loudon was returned today after both of his alleged wives had appeared before the grand jury. The first to appear was Mrs. Frederick Anold, of Poughkeepsie. She was accompanied by her son, Max, aged 21. Loudon was in line with eleven other men, but Mrs. Arnold identified him instantly. "Hello Max," she said. "How are you? Here is your son. You never saw him before."

Mrs. Arnold testified that she married Loudon at Poughkeepsie in 1893, but obtained an annullment after her husband disappeared. Mrs. Rose O'Brien, of Albion, N. Y., identified Loudon as the man who was married to her under the name of Max Lynar in 1912.

ASK POLICE OFFICERS TO PROTECT YOUNG WOMAN.

Claimed Effort Being Made to Force Her to Marry Crippled Man.

In response to a call from neighbors of Miss Ina Lynch, the 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lynch, who lives at Second and Queen streets, Sergeant Howell and Policeman Gray went to the home of the parents shortly after midnight this morning to make an investigation relative to a reported effort that was being made to force Miss Lynch to marry John T. Millikan, a crippled man, whose age was given in the marriage license, issued yesterday afternoon, as being 50 years.

The officers found that there were a number of the neighbors gathered at the home and decided that their efforts were not needed to give any protection. The young woman informed the officers that she did not want to marry Millikan. The mother of the girl is said to have opposed the marriage but the father favored it.

Earlier in the night, Rev. J. S. Crowley had been called to the home to perform the marriage ceremony but after making inquiry into the circumstances refused to officiate. There were quite a few neighbors gathered at the home at the time and several were very indignant about the matter.

License was issued for the marriage of Miss Lynch to Millikan by Register of Deeds Haar yesterday afternoon.

Councilman J. M. Hall, in charge of the department of public safety, stated last night that he would make further inquiry into the matter today.

Millikan is well known to many people in the city on account of being in an unfortunate crippled condition. He was very anxious last night to have the marriage ceremony performed.

GEORGETOWN EXPECTS VICTORY

Defeat by Carolina Would Hamper Chances of South Atlantic Title.

Washington, Oct. 15.—Final practice for tomorrow's game with the University of North Carolina was held today by Georgetown's gridiron players with the result that Manager Cox decided to use practically the same combination against the visitors that defeated the Navy. Georgetown supporters expect a victory after a hard battle. Interest in the contest runs high, as a defeat would seriously affect Georgetown's chance to win the South Atlantic championship.

SELECT JURY TO TRY RAILROAD MAGNATES

Is Chosen from Total of Nearly 250 Talesmen.

Case Adjourned Until Monday When Government Counsel Expects to Begin Outlining Mass of Evidence—List of the Jurors.

New York, Oct. 15.—The selection of a jury to try William Rockefeler, Lewis Cass Ledyard, Edward D. Robbins and eight other directors, past and present, of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad charged with conspiring to monopolize New England transportation traffic, was completed today. The 12 acceptable men represented the pains-taking sifting of nearly 250 talesmen during the three days that the trial has been in progress.

The case was adjourned until Monday after Judge Hunt, in announcing that the jurors would not be kept in custody, delivered what was regarded by many as an unusually solemn warning upon "the importance of circumspection" in their conduct.

Monday the jurors will hear the opening address of R. L. Batts, of government counsel, who expects to take at least a day and a half to outline a huge mass of evidence.

The jurors are: Steven D. Rirschman, real estate dealer; Max Hartman, commission merchant; Albert B. Welldon, vault glass dealer; Thomas N. Pell, insurance broker; Frank S. Douglass, manufacturer; Fred C. Bonny, manufacturer; James H. Carton, business manager; Joel Krous, real estate dealer; Peter Wagner, builder; C. A. Flint, salesman; Henry C. Dater, real estate dealer, and Alfred L. Grace, electrician.

Strong opinions as to the enforcement of the Sherman anti-trust law proved an obstacle to the selection of nearly a dozen jurors who otherwise seemed acceptable.

One of these was Harvey E. Fisk, a young member of the New York banking firm of Harvey Fisk & Company, who said he had made a study of the law and thought the "rule of reason" should be applied.

GERMANS ATTEMPT TO SAIL FOR HOME

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All leave for the interned crews now have been revoked, however, and no one will be permitted to go ashore except on matters of urgent necessity until it is known whether the missing six men have violated internment.

While no prosecution could follow the arrest of the six men, it was indicated at the Navy Department that more rigorous internment would be enforced if it was found that the men had attempted to leave the country.

MISSING OFFICERS NOT FOUND

No Members of Crews of Two Interned Cruisers Allowed to Come Ashore.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 15.—No word was received here today from six German officers missing from the auxiliary cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm, who are reported to have gone to sea on the yacht Eclipse. Vessels at sea reported seeing no trace of the Eclipse and the wireless station at Cape Hatteras reported tonight that the yacht had not been sighted passing that point.

Rear Admiral Beatty commanding the Norfolk Navy Yard says he believes the yacht is somewhere up Chesapeake Bay. No sailors or officers from either the Kronprinz Wilhelm or the Eitel Friedrich were permitted to come ashore today, following instructions received from Washington. This is the first time since the vessels interned last April when liberty was refused to their crews.

PRESIDENT WILL "SUMMER" IN NEW JERSEY NEXT YEAR

Accepts Invitation to Spend Vacation at Elberon in Former McCall Home.

Washington, Oct. 15—President Wilson today decided to spend next summer in New Jersey, in the former home of John A. McCall, at Elberon, near Long Branch. The estate, on which stands a magnificent house, is known as Shadow Lawn. The President was offered the free use of Shadow Lawn by a committee headed by Representative Scully which brought a letter from Governor Fielder. He insisted, however, that he should pay rent.

Governor Fielder urged the President to spend next summer in New Jersey to receive "the glad tidings" of his re-nomination. The President only smiled when that was mentioned.

His acceptance means he will not return to Harlakenden house, the residence of Winston Churchill, at Corish, N. H., which he has occupied each summer since becoming President.

GEORGE F. STACKPOLE DIES

Aged Lawyer, Stricken With Anthrax, Succumbs to Heart Failure.

New York, Oct. 15.—George F. Stackpole, the lawyer of Riverhead, L. I., who was stricken with anthrax several days ago, died in Vellevue hospital early today of heart failure resulting from the poison of the disease. The determined struggle made by Mr. Stackpole, who was 71 years old, and the unusual nature of his disease, common to cattle, but rare among human beings, attracted public attention throughout the country. Physicians watched the case closely, the effect of the antitoxin rushed here from the Bureau of Animal Industry at Washington.

Decided improvement was shown after the third injection but the patient's heart could not resist the disease's poison.

Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 15.—C. L. Riley, president of the New Jersey Men's League for equal suffrage, said today he had requested President Wilson to issue an executive order granting leave of absence next Tuesday to government employees in Washington who are residents of New Jersey and entitled to vote on the suffrage amendment.

Mrs. W. M. Creasy returned last night from Charlotte, where she spent several days with her sister after attending the annual meeting of the U. D. C. Mrs. Creasy was elected Recording Secretary of the North Carolina Division of the U. D. C. for the ensuing year.

CALOMEL DYNAMITES YOUR LIVER! MAKES YOU SICK AND SALIVATES

"Dodson's Liver Tone" Starts Your Liver Better Than Calomel and You Don't Lose a Day's Work

Liven up your sluggish liver! Feel fine and cheerful; make your work a pleasure; be vigorous and full of ambition. But take no nasty, dangerous calomel because it makes you sick and you may lose a day's work.

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Listen to me! If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone tonight. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working; headache and dizziness gone; stomach will be sweet and bowels regular.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and can not salivate. Give it to your children. Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of Calomel is almost stopped entirely here.

GEORGE A. GREGORY DEAD

Managing Editor Savannah Morning News Dies at 57.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 15.—George A. Gregory, managing editor of the Savannah Morning News, died here tonight after an illness of several weeks. He was a native of Unadilla, N. Y. Mr. Gregory, who was 57 years old, leaves a widow and one son.

—Romie Hasty, colored, was arrested early this morning on a charge of having been implicated in the bringing in of the five trunks of booze, seized at the union station last evening. The wararnt was sworn out by Plainclothesman Leon George and served by Plainclothesman B. W. Jacobs.

HOW TO CLEAR AWAY PIMPLES

Bathe your face for several minutes with resinol soap and hot water, then apply a little resinol ointment very gently. Let this stay on ten minutes, and wash off with resinol soap and more hot water, finishing with a dash of cold water to close the pores. Do this once or twice a day, and you will be astonished to find how quickly the healing resinol medication soothes and cleanses the pores, removes pimples and blackheads, and leaves the complexion clear and velvety.

Resinol ointment and resinol soap stop itching instantly and speedily heal skin humors, sores, burns, wounds and chafing. Sold by all druggists.

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The regular use of resinol soap is usually enough to prevent those distressing rashes and chafings to which most babies are subject. This is so, first, because resinol soap is absolutely pure and free from harsh alkali, and second, because it contains the resinol medication, on which so many physicians rely for skin troubles.

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Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words more than 25, One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE. The amount being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge a Western Union Messenger to any address in the city, for advertisements in this department, upon request by 'phone to No. 51. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams, or advertisements for the Star, but a small charge for Strictly Messenger Service. Telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams and bills will be rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union," but for advertisements always call the Star office, No. 51. Advertisements cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them. Contract advertising inserted "till forbid" will be discontinued only on written notice from the advertiser.

SPECIAL TODAY—YAM SWEET POtatoes, 20c peck; Swift hams, 21c lb.; Brookfield pork sausage, 20c lb.; lard 10c lb.; large fresh eggs, 30c dozen; breakfast bacon, 22½c lb.; new buckwheat, oatmeal and maple syrup just received, at C. H. Bornemann. Phone 853. oc 16-1t*

FOR SALE — THE O. K. BARBER Shop, southeast corner Front and Princess streets. Up-to-date in every detail. oc16-1t*

NEW WAY MARKET—SATURDAY special bargains: 1,000 extra nice ferns, 10 cents; 50 dozen carnations, 50 cents; Western lamb roast, 18 cents per lb.; bacon in cartons, 25 cents; fancy Bilyan peaches, first on this market; cranberries, green garden peas, fresh gathered beets, cauliflower, celery, Big Boston lettuce, green beans, bell peppers, cucumbers, fancy tomatoes, quinces, King apples, sickle pears, Bause Pears, fresh eggs, fancy cheese, small pig hams, native pork chops, all pig pork sausage, oysters that are clean, pickled lamb tongue, beef tongue, up-to-the-minute service. Our phones, 816 and 817. W. H. McEachern. oc 16-1t

YOUNG MAN WISHES POSITION— Able and willing to work. Would prefer local position. Can furnish good references. Address "F. C." care Star. oc 16-1t*

WANTED—A GOOD WHITE BOY OF neat appearance, fair education to learn a business. References required. Apply today. 202 Orange street. oc 16-1t*

WE HAVE THE GOODS AND SERvice—Everything good to eat, we have it. Brookfield sausage put up in one-pound cartons. Country pig pork, oysters on every train. Satisfaction guaranteed. Batson's Meat Market. Phone No. 72, 115 Market street. oc 16-1t

LOST OR STRAYED—A HOUSEFUL furniture. Call at Rex., 106 Dock of furniture. Call at Rex., 106 Dock 593. oc 16-2t

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FOR SALE—TWO HORSES, ONE farm wagon. Apply to Greene Fenley, administrator of Jas. M. Holland, deceased. oc 16-4t

FRESH DAIRY—WANTED, CUSTOMers for milk, buttermilk and fresh butter. Vegetables in season. Drop a post card and give your address to Box 783. Satisfaction guaranteed. oc 16-1t*

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SPECIAL FOR SUNDAY—VANILLA, peach, pineapple, strawberry, cherry, chocolate and maple nut. Frost Ice Cream Co., No. 13 Princess street. Phone 120. oc 16-2t

WANTED—TO SELL REAL DRY PINE wood, sawed and split stove sizes. Big loads delivered in the city for 90 cents and $1.00. Phone 1914. oc 16-1t*

LOST—ONE PLAIN, FLAT GOLD PIN, Name of D. Inman. Finder please return to 224 North Third street. oc15-3t*

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GENERAL AGENT WANTED BY THE North American Accident Ins. Co., to write business and appoint agents. Address No. 1114 Candler Building, Atlanta, Ga. oc14-3t*

WANTED — BY A YOUNG MAN POSItion as clerk in store. Can give best of references. Willing to start on a reasonable salary. Address "C. W.," care Star. oc13-7t*

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CONDENSED REPORT OF CONDITION

The American National Bank

WILMINGTON, N. C.

AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS THURSDAY SEPT. 2, 1915.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$1,611,233.56	Capital	$ 250,000.00
Overdrafts	2,236.65	Surplus and Undivided Profits	51,579.87
United States Bonds (at par)	270,000.00	Circulation	250,000.00
Bonds and Securities	65,417.50	Rediscounts	246,389.03
Banking House and Fixtures	45,662.85	Bond account	45,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	9,000.00	Reserve account	10,000.00
Real Estate	42,000.86	Due Banks	240,000.00
Cash in Vault, Due from Banks and U. S. Treasurer.	355,265.63	Deposits	1,307,847.96
Total	$2,400,816.85	Total	$2,400,816.85

W. B. COOPER, Chairman of Board.
THOS. E. COOPER, President. GEO. O. GAYLORD, Vice-President.
CHAS. E. BETHEA, Cashier.
W. C. DENNY, Assistant Cashier. E. FRED BANCK, Assistant Cashier.

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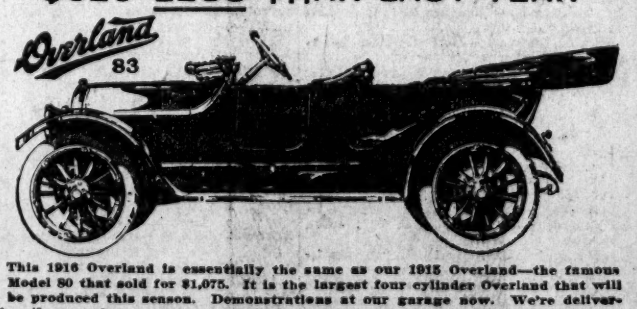

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Narcissus (Golden Spur, Emperor Empress, Sir Watkin) 50c. doz. or 5c. each
Double Narcissus (Van Sion) . . . . . 50c. doz. or 5c. each
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